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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

City Election in Montgomery.

MONTGOMERY, May 4.—The Democrats carried the city election to-day, the first time since the reconstruction.

Democrats Defeated.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., May 4.—The entire straight Democratic ticket was defeated in this city to-day by the citizens' ticket, by a majority of 810, the citizens electing 6 out of 10 councilmen.

A Democratic Success in Indiana.

SHELBYVILLE, Ind., May 4.—The Democratic mayor and city ticket was elected here to-day, the first time in 45 years.

NEW ALBANY, Ind., May 4.—The Democratic city ticket was elected here to-day.

JEFFERSONVILLE, Ind., May 4.—The entire Democratic city ticket was elected here to-day.

An Important Question in Court.

BOSTON, May 4.—Suit has been brought against the city of Boston by the assignees in bankruptcy of the estate of Mr. Armstrong, whose store was blown up to prevent the spread of the great fire, to recover $70,000, the value of the stock and unexpired lease. No one has been found to acknowledge the responsibility for blowing up the premises.

Probable Recovery of John F. Tracy.

NEW YORK, May 4.—John F. Tracy, president of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad, was sitting up last evening, and feeling much better. His trouble was an attack of vertigo.

The Weather and the Fruit Crop.

CHICAGO, May 4.—The weather to-day is clear and warmer. Advices from well informed sources throughout the West indicate that no serious damage was done either to the fruit or grain by the late frost. The fruit crop will be short, however, from former injuries.

The Specie Drift.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Specie shipments to-day, $377,900; $366,000 gold coin, the remainder silver bars. Specie engagement for to-morrow, $1,250,000.

Parricide and Suicide.

HUDSON, N. Y., May 4.—Early to-day Hudson Van Deusen, a wealthy, but eccentric farmer, shot his mother dead and then killed himself.

A Civil Rights Decision.

NEW ORLEANS, May 4.—Judge Morrill, U. S. district judge for the eastern district of Texas, in his charge to the grand jury reviewed the civil rights bill and expressed the opinion that all persons have the legal right to have board and lodging at an inn, or transportation on steamers and railroad or stage, or entrance into theaters, while they don't thereby acquire any social rights. To hold that a conductor of a railroad train can retain a special car to ladies and children and their attendants, to the exclusion of all others, provided other passengers are furnished with cars with all necessary facilities for traveling, would be to state civil rights privileges and immunities; therefore, my view of the act is that it is not intended to protect special rights, but to aid civil and legislative rights. In conclusion the judge stated: It shall be made to appear that any inn keeper, manager of theater, or transportation agent has refused proper facilities to any one on account of race, color, or previous condition, the grand jury will be authorized to find a bill against them.

Civil Rights Bill again Pronounced Unconstitutional.

WILMINGTON, N. C., May 4.—Judge Brooks, of the U. S. district court, in charging the grand jury to-day, said the civil rights bill in its criminal aspect, which was the only shape in which it could come before the jury, was unconstitutional and void.

Base Ball.

ST. LOUIS, May 4.—A game of base ball between the Brown Stockings and Red Stockings resulted in the former making 13 runs and the latter 9.

BOSTON, May 4.—The Boston B. B. Club won the game, making 14 runs to the Centennials' 2.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Particulars of the Jefferson Borden Mutiny

LONDON, May 4.—The mutineers on board the "The Jefferson Borden, Capt. Patterson, from New Orleans March 5th, for London, took the opportunity to carry out their plot to seize the vessel. When the first maid and boy were on watch, the latter was gagged and the men struck the mate from behind, fracturing his skull. The second mate coming to the rescue was thrown overboard alive. The boy got free and alarmed Capt. Patterson, who, coming from the cabin with two revolvers, fired on the mutineers with such effect that one of them received seven bullets, the second was wounded in the stomach, and the third may live until the ship reaches London.

A Change of Judiciary.

It is said Solicitor General Holker will succeed the late Judge Pigotte on the bench.

Bullion from Cape of Good Hope.

The steamer arrived yesterday from Cape Good Hope with £50,000 in gold, from the diggings, the largest consignment yet. One nugget weighed nine pounds.

The Pope again Ill.

ROME, May 4.—The Pope is again under physician's treatment.

Cholera.

CALCUTTA, May 4.—The cholera in Oude is abating.

The last of that Belgium Note!

BRUSSELS, May 4.—In the chamber of representatives to-day, Aspremot Lynden, minister of foreign affairs, read the reply of the Belgian government to the German note of Feb. 15. It denies that Belgium has declined to consider Germany's demands. The question of fulfilling obligations to prevent subjects from disturbing neighboring countries applies not to Belgium alone, but to all States which regard it their duty to watch over and secure peace. When the Belgian government is apprised of the steps taken in Germany and other countries to remedy the deficiencies in their penal laws, it will examine its own in their bearing on the customs, traditions and liberties of Belgium with the sincere desire to co-operate in the maintenance of good relations. Belgium is determined to fulfill the duties of a neutral State and to cultivate the friendship of Germany. Aspremot, after reading the note, stated that the investigation of the Duchesne affair was in progress. He closed with an appeal to the patriotism of all parties.

Germany is not Inducing Emigrants to Return.

BERLIN, May 4.—The North German Gazette gives a positive denial to the statement in the American papers that a company has been organized here to facilitate the return to this country of German emigrants to the United States.

Moody and Sankey Indorsed.

LONDON, May 4.—At the opening of the Presbyterian Synod to-day, the moderator referred to the revival movement set on foot by Moody and Sankey, and expressed cordial sympathy with them in their religious work.

Immense Congregations of the American Evangelists.

PHILADELPHIA, May 4.—Geo. H. Stuart to-day received a cablegram from John V. Farwell, who has just arrived in London from Chicago, announcing that the week day average attendance at all of the Moody and Sankey meetings was 27,000, and on Sunday 45,000, making over 200,000 brought together weekly to hear the American Evangelists.

Proceedings of Parliament.

LONDON, May 4.—In the House of Commons this evening, O'Clery withdrew his motion for the recognition, by Great Britain, of the belligerent rights of the Carlists in Spain. Bourke, under secretary of the foreign department, stated there was no reason to depart from the policy of non-interference observed during the previous civil wars in Spain.

The House of Commons was engaged in a debate to-night, on a motion made by the Marquis of Hartington, that the House do not entertain any complaints in respect to the publication of its proceedings, except in cases of wilful misrepresentation, or when the publication thereof is expressly prohibited, and that strangers are not to be ordered to withdraw from the galleries, unless disorderly or, by a vote of the House.

Disraeli opposed any curtailment of privileges. The House was able to deal with the inconvenience caused by the present method of excluding strangers, by suspending the rule and permitting a single member to order their withdrawal.

At this stage of the debate, Sullivan called attention to the presence of strangers, and the galleries were cleared.

The Standard and Times on the Lexington Centennial.

LONDON, May 5—4:20 A. M.—The Standard severely criticises the letter from Gladstone, read at the centennial celebration of the battle of Lexington. It remarks that the habit of toadying to Americans is discreditable in English public men and journalists. The results of the republican experiment in the United States are the corruption of public life and extinction of public spirit, the oppression of the minority and disgust of honorable men with politics, and the transfer of the government into the hands of corrupt, unscrupulous and ignorant persons.

LONDON, May 5—4:20 A. M.—The Times fully indorses Gladstone's letter, and says it would be melancholy if the first great attempt to complete independence should result in social anarchy. Although there is nothing at present to justify such fears, grave evils exist in some of the American institutions which must be remedied if progress is to continue.

Changes in Office.

The Daily News announces that the Earl of Pembroke will resign the under secretaryship of war and be succeeded by Lord Cadogan.

A Surveying Expedition.

The British government intends to send the frigate Valorous to survey Baffin's Bay and the North Atlantic.

Alfonso's Duties to the Pope.

MADRID, May 4.—King Alfonso received the Papal nuncio to-day. He said he was aware of his duties of gratitude and affection to the Holy Father, and should fulfill them.

THE TILTON-BEECHER CASE.

The Last Sensation in the Brooklyn Scandal.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Mrs. Tilton was asked whether she kept a copy of the document the presentation of which to Judge Neilson was a sensation in the scandal case yesterday. She answered, I have kept a copy, and it was prepared to be made public, but until Judge Neilson decides whether or not to read it in court, I don't think it would be proper for me to let it be published. It related to the matter of my not being called as a witness, but to give a summary of its contents would be equivalent to the document itself. Judge Neilson told a reporter late last night that he had concluded to take no action with reference to Mrs. Tilton's communication in the present state of the matter. He could not see that any action by the court was called for. In case Mrs. Tilton saw fit to make some further communication, he might take some steps in the matter, but as the case now stood, there was nothing for him to do. He would not, he said, either have it read or published, but if Mrs. Tilton desired to publish it he would return the communication to her any time she chose to send for it.

Mrs. Tilton's Letter.

NEW YORK, May 4.—The following is a copy of the letter which Mrs. Tilton yesterday handed to Judge Neilson in the court room, as published in the *Star*:

"*Sir:* By the law's peculiar phrase I am debarred from appearing before you as a witness, because my husband seeks a fortune at the price of my dishonor. I have a mother and several children. I am a woman, with no legacy to leave those children save a spotless name. Judge for yourself, then, whether I can tamely submit to the taunting lies of him who has sworn to love and cherish me, and whose selfish infamies have torn me from his hearth and home, blasted my fair fame, and turned me penniless upon the charity of friends. I demand to be heard by the jury to whom has been told the falsehoods of my prosecutor. Surely if he can address the jury for days, aided by cunning and unscrupulous counsel, that he may ruin my reputation, cast obloquy and reproach upon my name, and make me the by-word and scorn of all the world, I, too, have a right to be heard. I, too, have a tale to tell. I, too, have a revelation to make, untaught by counsel, unaided by friends, without pecuniary stimulant of aiders or companions. I come alone and pleading at the bar of justice. I ask no mercy. I seek no favors. I simply ask that a wronged wife and injured woman may be permitted to meet the calumnies of a perjured man and faithless husband. Midnight is daylight when contrasted with his treachery. The father of lies is an angel of purity when contrasted with this monumental hypocrite. I seek no sanction; I crave no publicity. Not for my sake, but for my children, and for the sake of womanhood throughout the world, I respectfully ask the precious boon of self-defense against the beastly onslaughts of a brutal husband."

There is no evidence that the paper published this morning by the *Star* is either the text or the substance of the note handed to the Judge yesterday by Mrs. Tilton.

The Correct Version of Mrs. Tilton's Note.

NEW YORK, May 4.—The Brooklyn *Eagle* has been furnished with the following copy of Mrs. Tilton's letter:

BROOKLYN, May 3, 1875.

Judge Neilson: I ask the privilege from you for a few words in my own behalf. I feel very deeply the injustice of my position in the law and before this court now sitting and while I have understood and expected from the beginning that Mr. Evarts was principal in the matter, yet, since your last decision, I have been so sensible of the power of my enemies, that my soul cries out before you and the gentlemen of the jury that they beware how, by a divided verdict, they consign to my children a false and wicked stain upon their mother. For five years past I have been the victim of circumstances most cruel and unfortunate, struggling from time to time only for a place to live honorably and truthfully. Released for some months from the will by whose power unconsciously I criminated myself again and again, I declare solemnly before you, without fear of man and with faith in God, that I am innocent of the crime charged against me. I would like to tell my whole sad story truthfully; to acknowledge the frequent falsehoods wrung from me by compulsion, though at the same time unwilling to reveal the secrets of my married life which only the vital importance of my position makes necessary. I assume the entire responsibility of this request, unknown to friend or consent of either side, and await your honor's honorable decision.

With great respect, ELIZABETH R. TILTON.

Judge Neilson's Reply.

The following is Judge Neilson's reply:

Mrs. Tilton: I am directed by Chief Judge Neilson to return your letter as it can't be read in court; also to state that in all cases counsel have the right to refrain from calling a particular witness, however competent, and that neither the court nor client can interfere with the exercise of that right. The Judge also instructs me to say that the question whether you could be called as a witness stands on quite another ground from that considered when your husband was called and sworn. He was a competent witness to testify in his behalf against a third person as defendant, and while the policy of the law was to some extent involved, there was a statute which expressly declares a wife to be incompetent as a witness for or against her husband.

Yours very respectfully, G. W. KNACBLOCK,
Clerk of City Court, &c.

NEW YORK, May 4.—The letter furnished by the Brooklyn *Eagle* and sent this afternoon is a true copy of Mrs. Tilton's note to Judge Neilson.

The Trial Resumed.

NEW YORK, May 4.—The plaintiff and defendant were absent from the court room when the great scandal case was begun. Mrs. Beecher, however, was on hand, and Mr. Tilton arrived five minutes after proceedings had commenced, accompanied again by Mr. Middlebrook and daughter.

Franklin Woodruff.

Resumed the witness stand, and Beach stated the witness had been subpoenaed to introduce the books of his firm for the past two years. Woodruff testified that he was present at the interview with Jackson S. Schulz, in which the "startling paper" was talked about between Schulz and Tilton. The latter said he could not accept any aid which would place him under obligations to Beecher.

Cross-examination by Shearman: I have known Tracy very intimately five or six years; have called frequently at his office. I do not know that this intimacy ever ceased. Tracy was retained for our firm in two or three cases. I am very intimately acquainted with Geo. L. Nichols, Samuel McLean and Mr. Southwick; spoke to them very often; have talked with them about this scandal. I may have talked to them about things connected with the scandal and about which the public did not know. I think I talked with McLean about counsel, before I consulted Tracy; have talked to all these gentlemen during the past year about my consultation with Tracy at McLean's house with him and Nichols. Don't remember reading the interview in the Brooklyn *Union*, June 26, 1874, between a reporter and Tracy; do not remember having made it a subject of conversation, though may have done so.

He was shown a report of the interview and said, I have no doubt but what I saw this interview. I may have talked with McLean about it, and he may have called my attention to certain parts of it, but I don't recollect.

Shearman read certain portions of the interview as reported, but was interrupted with objection from Beach, who argued that this interview was not proved by Tracy, and that this was a surreptitious attempt to get this interview before the jury. Witness said, I don't recollect any portion of this reported interview. I may have had a talk about it, but don't recollect if I did. I had a talk with McLean last night, but we did not converse about this published interview. I saw Tracy after he made this statement in September but recollect no special talk with him. Understood Tracy was in consultation with Moulton on the subject of the scandal after June 26, '74. I intimated to Tracy at his house last summer, that he had misrepresented matters in his statement of the scandal. After Tracy told Moulton of the money transaction, of which he was informed by me, I went to Tracy and told him he had abused my confidence in telling Moulton, and he admitted he had done wrong. He didn't know till last summer from what source the $5,000 given Tilton was derived. Don't think Moulton upbraided me for telling Tracy. At this interview with Tracy I told him where the $5,000 came from; I didn't know where it came from; may have said I inferred it came from Beecher. Don't recollect if Tracy told me the $5,000 was drawn from the bank by Beecher that day and given to Moulton.

Witness was asked as to the $500 payment made by Beecher to Moulton for Tilton's benefit, but his testimony throws no light on the matter.

Witness said he had told Southwick since he, witness, was on the stand, that Tracy had testified to things he, witness, had told him in confidence.

The cross-examination of Woodruff was completed and recess taken.

After recess Morris announced that he and Evarts had been talking to Dr. Styles, the physician who attended Mrs. Tilton, and he states that after confinement his last professional visit to her was on the 30th December, 1870.

Miss Anna M. Middlebrook

Was then called. She testified that she resided in Connecticut, where her husband is in business. She became acquainted with Tilton in 1867. In the summer and autumn of that year she met him at Woodhull's house. Met Mrs. Woodhull first at the Woman Suffrage Convention in New York, in the spring of 1871. She wrote articles for her paper. Visited her October 25th, 1871. Mr. Conley, Edward Wheeler, Edward Bacon and another gentleman were present. There was no conversation that evening on the subject of this scandal. In September, 1872, witness heard Mrs. Woodhull, in her lecture in Boston, state that Beecher had had criminal relations with Mrs. Tilton.

Cross-examination disclosed nothing.

Joseph H. Richards,

Brother of Mrs. Tilton, was recalled, and testified that he remembered going before the investigating committee at Storrs' house last summer. Tracy was there, and witness had a conversation with him in the parlor. Tracy made some remark about my appearing before the committee. Witness was asked to relate this interview, which was objected to, and after a long argument the objection was overruled and the witness resumed: I said to Tracy that I appeared at a summons from Sage. Tracy said, "I am here as Beecher's counsel," and he told me I would be asked if my sister had ever confessed to me of having committed adultery with Beecher. I replied that I would not answer that question. He said my refusal to answer would be construed as an answer in the affirmative, and I refused to go before the committee. I am sure Tracy told me he was acting as counsel for Beecher. I don't remember Bessie Turner coming to me at the *Evening Post* office in December, 1870, and making to me any revelation of ill treatment at the hands of Tilton. I never remember her calling there at any time, nor do I ever remember hearing such revelation from her.

This witness was not cross examined.

John Brennan

Was next called. He testified that Tilton walked with John Swinton in the Roussel procession.

Stephen Pearl Andrews

Was next called, but court adjourned before anything important was elicited.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Strike on the Public Works.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—Many laborers, employed on the public works, have struck for a $1 50 per day. Contractors say they can't pay more than $1, owing to the low price paid for work and loss by sale of district bonds.

A Case of Attornment.

Senor Antonio Mantilla, who represented the Spanish republic here to-day, presented his credentials to the President as minister, from the King of Spain.

The New Oregon Iron Works get a Contract.

The contract for the construction of the new revenue cutter for the Columbia river was to-day awarded, by the Secretary of the Treasury, to the New Oregon Iron Works, of Albina, Oregon, for $90,000. Congress, at the last session, appropriated $125,000 for the construction and equipment of this vessel.

Succor for the Suffering Indians.

WASHINGTON, May 4.—The Indian bureau received information to-day from Special Commissioner Shanks that the supplies so greatly needed for the Indians near Fort Sill and at Wichita agency, have all gone forward from Caddo within the past few days. The insufficiency of provisions and consequent suffering among the Indians there have been caused by the failure of the contractor to convey supplies from Caddo to the reservation. He claims that their transportation heretofore has been rendered impossible by the extraordinary state of the roads and bad weather.

CANADA.

Relief for the Distressed.

QUEBEC, May 4.—The department of marine and fisheries has ordered a steamer from Halifax to search for the steamers *Polynesian*, *Dominion* and *Lake Champlain*, and to render any aid required.

Navigation Resumed.

ST. CATHERINES, Ont., May 4.—The Welland canal is open to navigation.

QUEBEC, May 4.—The ship *Lake Michigan* arrived from Glasgow this morning, the first arrival of the season.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Labor Troubles.

ST. JOHNS, May 4.—The fund raised to secure and protect free labor in this port amounts to $105,000. The laborers society proposed to arrange a satisfactory rate of wages, provided they were given all the work. The merchants rejected the proposition and the society decided to continue the strike. Some non-society laborers are hired.

THE TERRITORIES.

Stocks of sugar and other staple groceries ran out at Salt Lake during the blockade.

There is an immense bank of snow about eighty feet deep in the vicinity of the Ida Elmore mine.

A man named Coston, teaming on the Wallula road, had a horse drowned in attempting to cross the Touchet. The accident happened on Sunday.

They have finally got a telegraph to Idaho City, as we learn from the *World*. A wire has been put up between the postoffice and bank, a distance of 450 feet.

The Dayton, W. T., woolen mills are now running on full time with a complete set of hands, and the demand for woolen goods appears to be equal to the supply.

Mr. G. W. Loundagin, who resides on the Coppei, near Waitsburg, W. T., is erecting machinery and cultivating oil beans preparatory to manufacturing castor oil.

The Salt Lake *Tribune* says that a large number of people met at Laramie recently to witness the first rolling of railroad iron ever manufactured in the Rocky mountains.

A man was recently robbed of $200 at Ogden, and then had been gagged and placed on the railroad track. Fortunately, he was discovered and released before a train came along.

The Walla Walla *Spirit* learns that the water in the Touchet river is falling rapidly, though as yet, teams are unable to ford it. The mail and express have arrived regularly.

The depot at Walla Walla, of the W. W. & C. R. R., has been located at or near the junction of Main and Rose streets in the lower part of the city, about three-fourths of a mile from the bridge at the upper end of town.

The Walla Walla *Statesman* is told that grasshoppers are making their appearance in myriads along the foot of the mountains, and that the settlers in that locality apprehend that they will destroy the crops. We hope these forebodings will not be realized.

A teamster who came down from Lewiston to Walla Walla a few days ago, says that Snake river is already very high at that place, and is still rising. He says the people there look for almost unprecedentedly high water, yet that it is not liable to do any injury up there.

Mr. H. D. Cook, of Walla Walla, has just returned from Yakima, and reports the Yakima river as having been higher last week than it has been known for the past four years. It had fallen a little before he left, but will probably rise again still higher than it has yet been.

Thomas Monroe, of Walla Walla, attempted to commit suicide a few days ago, by cutting some deep gashes in his arm and thigh. For a long time Mr. Monroe has been in ill health, and finally, last fall, had to be thrown on the county for support. He appears to have allowed this to work upon his mind until he has become tired of life, and sought to find relief in suicide.

M. Kelly, editor of the Boise *Statesman*, on Saturday before last, was assaulted on the street by a man named Scholl; because of an article which had appeared in Kelly's paper. Kelly was beaten and slightly cut. Afterward Kelly's son, in inquiring for an officer to have Scholl arrested, stepped into the district attorney's office, where Scholl happened to be, when Scholl started after him as he had after his father, but got a good deal the worst of the fight.

The Walla Walla *Union* of last Saturday says: "The reports from all parts of the country agree in saying that the waters in all the streams, except the Snake and Columbia rivers, are receding. The streams in this valley are now all within the banks and offer no obstruction to travel, except the Touchet, But the Touchet on the Wallula road has so long been overflowing its banks that the lower ground, over which the road passes, is so soft that it is impossible to cross without miring down."

It is not known how many acres of new hops have been put in this year in Tacoma Valley, but it is known that all the roots have been planted which could be obtained. Laborers have been scarce, and $35 and $45 a month have been the ruling rates of wages. New dwellings, drying houses, warehouse, barns, fences, &c., use up the lumber quite as fast as the two sawmills can cut it. One of the mills is running both night and day. Ten cents a pound are now offered for hops on the poles, the buyers doing their own cutting.

As an instance of the advantages of home manufactures, the Walla Walla *Spirit* says: "The Dayton woolen mills have already saved to that county four times as much money as it cost to build them. Every week brings a load to this city. It is gratifying to know that very few blankets, flannels, tweeds or hard-times are now imported, the articles produced by this establishment being of a superior quality and furnished at lower rates than the same can be obtained at abroad. When the system of patronizing home productions becomes more general we will hear less complaint in regard to the scarcity of money."

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

Heavy Dews Better than Nothing.

SACRAMENTO, May 4.—Farmers in this vicinity report that heavy dews have fallen for the past few nights, which, if continued for another week, will do much good to the crops.

The Turf.

The spring meeting at Agricultural Park, to commence on the 31st inst., promises to be a most successful one. Much fine stock is already at the park, and much more is known to be coming, most of which will doubtless be entered for purses.

Seventeen Car Loads of Immigrants.

A special train arrived from the East this evening, bringing seventeen car loads of immigrants.

Races.

LOS ANGELES, May 4.—The running race to-day between Irene Harding and Walking John, was won by Irene. A large amount of money changed hands on the result. Time, 50 seconds.

Railroad Progress.

Three more miles of the Los Angeles and Independence Railroad have been located between this city and Santa Monico.

Weather and Crop Reports.

SAN LUIS OBISPO, May 4.—The weather still continues favorable for crops, heavy fogs still prevailing.

Wool receipts continue very large, and there are now stored, awaiting shipment, over 1,600 bales, aggregating nearly a half million pounds.

SAN DIEGO, May 4.—Crop reports from various points of the country confirm the previously reported favorable prospects.

Four Murderers Awaiting the Death Penalty.

There are now four condemned murderers confined in jail here waiting the death penalty. The fifth one is on trial.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 4.—Ophir 38, Mexican 26½, Gould and Curry 21, B & B 55½, Savage 130, Chollar 85, Hale and Norcross 44, Crown Point 35¾, Jacket 32½, Imperial 9½, Empire M 6¾, Kentucky 15¾, Alpha 24½, Belcher 34, Confidence 22, Con Virginia 450, Sierra Nevada 12½, California 63½, Bullion 59, Seg Belcher 100, Overman 76, Exchequer 200, Justice 127½, Succor 1, Union Con 8½, Baltimore 6, Julia 9, Buckeye 5¾, Caledonia 21, Knickerbocker 4, Utah 6, Globe 1½.

EVENING BOARD.—M Valley 8½, Ray & Ely 55, Eu Con 54½, Pioche 4, Conder 75c, Belmont 4½, R Patch 2, Prussian 4, Leopard 15½, Jefferson 9½, Gila 4½, Cornucopia 1, Mansfield 5¾, G Chariot 8½, Mahogany 9, S Chariot 2¾, W Eagle 5½, Poorman 8, Dayton 3½, R Island 7, Dardanelles 3, N Y 2, Occidental 3½, Senator 1, A Flat 10, Woodville 3½, L Washington 2, Kossuth 1½, O G Hill 2½, Andes 5, Mides 8, N Carson 20c, Cosmopolitan 2, Prospect 4, South Cala 2.

Greenbacks—87½ buying, 88 selling.

OREGON.

There are 175 members in the Salem fire department.

The editor of the *Bedrock Democrat* is sick. So is the last issue of his paper.

Mr. John Newsom, of Howell Prairie, has been appointed deputy surveyor of Marion county.

The Congregational Association of Oregon will meet with the Congregational Church of Salem June 17th, and continue in session four days.

James Fruit, of Los Angeles, Cal., is now in Umatilla county and gives it as his opinion that it is the best stock raising country in the world.

The house on the road between Pendleton and Umatilla, known as the "Four-Mile House," caught fire and was consumed on the 22d ult.

The Pendleton *Tribune* says the cool nights have lowered the Umatilla river several feet, and all danger from an overflow has passed away for the present.

The Jacksonville *Sentinel* learns of a shooting affray on Applegate creek, in which a party by the name of Johnson was concerned, but fails to give particulars.

The work of putting together the five large iron girders on the capitol building began Tuesday morning. It will take 6,400 rivets to cement these massive pieces of iron together.

E. M. Waite, secretary of the Oregon State Agricultural Society, will receive, in one or two days, a quantity of seeds and grains from the department of agriculture, Washington City, for gratuitous distribution.

The Odd Fellows of Umatilla city celebrated the 56th anniversary of Odd Fellowship in America, on the 26th, by a ball, and those of Walla Walla by a supper, while the Pendleton Lodge simply displayed an Odd Fellow's flag.

A letter from Canyon City says: "The 'oldest inhabitant' does not remember to have seen the snow disappear so rapidly, from the heat of the sun alone, as it is now doing, and we may expect very high water if this warm weather continues a few days longer."

The Deaf Mute School of Salem will close their term on Friday, 28th inst., on which occasion they will give one of their interesting exhibitions at the Opera House. A prominent feature of the exercises will be a lecture by Rev. P. S. Knight on "Sign Language."

Mr. John Zell writes to the *Farmer* from Prinesville, date April 17th, that it was then very warm and dry there, and considerable sickness prevailing. He said that twenty persons were already laid in Prinseville burying ground, and that he himself laid a fine little boy there last winter.

The *Tribune* says: "Last Monday the Pendleton High School was addressed by Mr. Rowland, State school superintendent. His remarks were well timed, practical, and were listened to with marked attention. He is a very interesting speaker, and his gestures are generally natural and graceful."

The spring term of the circuit court of Umatilla county commenced Monday of last week. Judge McArthur was quite ill Saturday night and Sunday, but he managed to come up to the scratch on Monday, and dealt out justice during the week to the various parties litigant who came before him, in his usual satisfactory manner.

A. D. Dickinson, president of the Alden Fruit Preserving Co. of New York, writes to O. P. Beardsley as follows: "The shipment of pears and apples from the Alden Fruit Preserving Company, of Salem, Oregon, proves to be the finest ever brought to this market. There is no limit to the demand and sale of such goods."

The Secretary of State is sending out notices to the various county courts of the State tax chargeable for 1875, to be entered up against each county according to law, viz. State tax proper, 5 mills on the dollar; bounty tax, 1 mill on the dollar; relief tax one-half mill, making a total for State purposes of six and a half mills on the dollar.

Mr. Frazer, a Umatilla sheep raiser, informs the *Tribune* that his sheep have been and are doing well at present. He fed out to them during the winter over 100 tons of hay, which he raised himself. It was not, however timothy hay, as most would suppose; but barley, wheat, etc., cut in the milk; and this, he says, is far better for sheep than timothy. His sheep are nearly all sound and healthy, and free from the sheep tick and other parasites so common to sheep; and this he attributes chiefly to the fact that he annually dips all his sheep into a vat filled with liquid obtained by boiling tobacco and sulphur, in certain proportions, together. Mr. F. expends several hundred dollars annually in the purchase of tobacco and sulphur for this purpose. He has about 3,000 lambs, and more coming. He calculates that the wool he will clip from his sheep, this season, will amount to something over $1 per head; and if this calculation is correct, it may with truth be said that Frazer has struck a mutton bonanza.

LETTER FROM OLYMPIA.

EDUCATIONAL, SOCIAL, COMMERCIAL, ETC.

OLYMPIA, April 29, 1875.

The climate on the Sound at present is of the most enjoyable character. Some idea of its pleasurable enjoyment may be formed from the statement made this week by a gentleman who said that "if the atmosphere of heaven was as pleasant he would be satisfied." The vast body of the inland waters of the Sound, the grand forests of splendid timber, the beautiful valleys, the grand range of the Coast and Cascade mountains, the magnificent snow peaks and numerous rivers are so many sources of beauty, grandeur and health, not surpassed on this continent. The charming climate, the vast resources and the magnificent scenery of the Sound, and Washington Territory at large, are guarantees that the prosperity and progress of both will be immense at no distant day.

OLYMPIA

is one of the attractive towns on the Sound, located at the head of tide water. It has a population of 1,500. There are quite a number of excellent stores, many fine private residences, numerous neat cottages, surrounded with cultivated gardens. The streets are lined with a profusion of shade trees that are so many sources of beauty and enjoyment at this season of the year.

The intelligence of the youth may be inferred from the fact that the public and private schools are numerous, including the new public seminary, a large and beautiful building. The moral and religious tone of the people may be estimated from the consideration that there are six churches and as many Sunday schools. In addition to these the Unitarians have lately organized a society with a resident pastor. The social and benevolent tone of the citizens may be drawn from the consideration that the Masons, Odd Fellows, Good Templars, Champions of the Red Cross, and similar orders, are numerous and well sustained. The Olympic Choral Society, consisting of 35 members in good standing, under the leadership of Prof. Roberts, is good evidence of the taste for cultivating music among the young people. There is convenient and ample accommodation for the youth of the town, having plenty of outdoor amusements. There is a neat, well supplied news room entirely free to the public, and a good library attached for which a small charge is made to members. The building in which the library and news room is held, and over which the Odd Fellows have a large, fine hall, is the gift of Capt. D. B. Finch, then on the Sound, now residing in San Francisco. The people of Olympia have earned for themselves the reputation of being educated, cultivated and refined. The literary taste of the people is obvious in the fact that they sustain five weekly newspapers, which, for a town containing only 1,500 of a population, could probably not be matched on the Pacific coast.

THE WESTERN WASHINGTON INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION,

Organized four years since to develop the resources of Washington Territory, is accomplishing its mission by its annual exhibitions at Olympia, and by keeping the vast resources of the Territory before the public, such as its adaptation for extensive and profitable lumbering and ship-building, fisheries, coal, iron and other minerals, and the various departments of agriculture. Dr. J. C. Kellogg is president, and Mr. R. H. Hewett secretary. The Hon. Elwood Evans' address at the last annual meeting is an interesting pamphlet on these subjects.

The farmers of the Territory have their granges in full operation, though not so thoroughly organized as in neighboring States where farming forms the principal industry.

WATER SUPPLY.

The town has an ample supply of excellent water, brought in wooden pipes above a mile from Tumwater river, and raised from the river 200 feet by means of a powerful pump.

STEAMERS.

The U. S. mail steamers *Welcome* and *North Pacific* run from Olympia to Victoria, calling at way ports, making the round trip twice a week. The former steamer connects with the Northern Pacific Railway at Tacoma for the mails. The steamer *Zephyr* runs from Seattle to Olympia twice a week, calling at Tacoma and Steilacoom each way.

A stage runs from Olympia to Tenino, morning and evening, to connect with the trains to and from Tacoma and Kalama.

THE RAILWAY TERMINUS.

Two years since the people of Olympia calculated confidently on their town being the terminus of the Northern Pacific railroad; in that expectation they were bitterly disappointed. Since that time they have lost 400 of a floating population and considerable business arising from travel to and from the Sound formerly coming principally that way; real estate declined more or less in value and the people became depressed in spirits. Now, a reaction is setting in; the impression is general that the worst has come to the worst, that business will steadily increase, trade brighten up and a general forward progress be experienced. Olympia being the seat of the Territorial government, has given it a good anchorage that has enabled it to hold on until the storm of adverse circumstances has passed away. These remarks will be more obvious by a visit to

TUMWATER,

That may be considered the manufacturing part of the city. It is little more than a mile from Olympia. The latter is connected with Tumwater by the bay that runs that far, by which small coasting vessels can go up and load during high water. The two places are also connected by a good plank road. The manufacturing carried on at this place is creditable and capable of considerable extension. The waterfall is one of great beauty and the power available for extensive machinery.

THE WATER POWER OF TUMWATER

Drives Messrs. Ward & Mitchell's saw and planing mill, where all kinds of wood work is made for house finishing. It is a large establishment, the extent of which, and their facilities for doing the work, does the owners credit. In their sash and door department they use cedar, ash, maple, oak and birdseye maple; yellow, red and white fir for ordinary lumber. Their gig-saw is deserving the attention of those who are engaged in ornamental house finishing. It cuts all kinds of patterns in wood-work with ease, dispatch and to perfection. They have 21 feet of water fall for driving their machinery.

The Excelsior Grist Mill, owned by Ward & Mitchell, but rented and run by Geo. Gelbach, is a very good mill of its size and gives ample satisfaction to his patrons.

Lincoln Flouring Mill is owned by Mr. W. F. Crosby. It is a large establishment, four stories high, makes excellent flour which finds a ready market on the Sound.

The same water-power runs Messrs. *G. B. Biles & Co.'s tannery*. They tan 1,800 hides and 2,000 skins of all kinds in the year. The establishment has all the indications of competent and successful management.

The peculiar feature of the business at Tumwater is what is known as the

WATER PIPE FACTORY.

The object of this factory is to make wooden pipes as a substitute for metal for conveying water and gas. The results are most satisfactory, so much so that the orders from San Francisco and other places cannot be filled half soon enough. Mr. W. N. Horton is the resident partner and general superintendent. Upwards of $55,000 have been expended in putting up buildings and machinery. The most improved machinery is used and none but competent men are employed. The whole establishment moves like clockwork. The logs are drawn from the water and placed in position with ease, by machinery, then cut into lengths of eight feet, turned over to be bored with augurs from one and a half to eight inches, according to requirements. Four, six and eight inch pipes are the most in demand. When bored, they pass to the man in charge of the lathe to be dressed down to a given size. He turns them over to men who head them so as to fit into each other. Then they are taken to the steam house to be seasoned, thence to be lapped with light hoop iron, then dipped in asphaltum, and when dry, are ready for market. All these operations are done by machinery—except placing the pipes in the steam-house—with an ease, speed and accuracy that would astonish visitors. These pipes only cost half the price of metal pipes, do not give any taste to the water, and will last for fifty years or more for either water or gas purposes. There is an extensive work shop attached to the factory, where pickets of all kinds, plain and ornamental, are made. The present prosperity of the establishment and the increasing demand for pickets is such, that a considerable enlargement of the factory will soon take place. About fifteen men are constantly employed. No person visiting Olympia should leave it without seeing Tumwater; it is one of the many proofs of the future growth and greatness of the Sound and Washington Territory.

NORTHWEST.

MINING ITEMS.

The miners of Burnt river district are busy, and are happy in the anticipation of big clean-ups.

Blackfoot, Montana, is terribly excited over the reported discoveries of quicksilver in large quantities in that region.

It is claimed by an Eastern Oregon paper that that country has as rich mines as California if they were developed.

The first bullion shipment of the season was made from Silver City, April 26th, from the office of Wells, Fargo & Co., and was valued at $11,688. It is from Mahogany ore and is being forwarded to San Francisco.

At the mines, on the North Fork of Satiam, there are about twenty men at work and prospecting on the river; in fact parties are coming in and going out every day. Two months from now is soon enough to go, providing there should be gold enough found to pay for working.

Al J. Lawrence is happy over late developments made in quartz in the Ironstone mine, Baker county. He thinks he has got a fortune stowed away in that ledge. The fact is, the prospects are rather flattering. It prospects about $30 or $40 to the ton, with a decided tendency to grow richer as work progresses.

E. B. Cook has struck a quartz ledge in Baker county, on Connor creek, that promises to make the discoverer a fortune. There are four partners in the discovery, and if their "bonanza" pans out as well as indications would seem to justify one in believing, and they can succeed in getting it out of the ground, there is enough to make a dozen men rich.

Mining and prospecting is all the rage on Connor Creek, Baker county, since the spring has come and bunch grass has made its appearance. Men can be seen every day striking out for the hills, and with very good results. The new ledge discovered by Messrs. Douglas & Huffman still improves as work progresses. The placer mines of Green, Morris & Lucas are being worked with very good results.

The Tacoma *Tribune* says: "Mr. P. G. Eastwick went up to the Puyallup coal mines last Friday, for the purpose of giving them a more critical examination than they have yet received. He is a civil engineer of ability, and an acknowledged expert in matters of geology and mining. Mr. Eastwick will ascertain whether these deposits have a regular dip, or not, or whether they are fragments caused by some internal disturbance. Mr. C. P. Ferry, also from the railroad land office, started for the same region, on Tuesday, to secure his claim and to see the sights of that land of mineral wonders. On Mr. Ferry's claim are two anthracite ledges, one of three feet and one of seven feet in thickness."

Trying to Drive Judge Pierrepont.

[Dispatch to the Evening Journal.]

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Southern Republican senators here say, if Judge Pierrepont, as Attorney General, shall choose a conservative course, there will not be a Southern Republican vote in the elective college in 1876. The senators maintain there can be no successful party policy towards the South except that so long followed by the late Attorney General, and they claim they have information that Pierrepont will pursue a different course, and declare that his early Democratic training will not permit him to follow too closely in the footsteps of Williams. For these reasons these senators take a despondent view of the Southern outlook. Meanwhile detective Porter is no longer employed by the department of justice.

Bill King.

[Dispatch to the Evening Journal.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., May 3.—Congressman W. S. King arrived from the east yesterday. Upon his arrival he was beset by inquisitive newspaper men, and fully prepared to resist all efforts of interviewers. He announced that he is all right and that he will vindicate himself by documentary proof when the proper time comes; but his affairs are in an exceedingly mixed shape, and it will take some time to clear up complication. He will remain here about three weeks, to do what he can to straighten matters.

Six miles of the railroad track from Wallula is already laid, and one hundred hands in constant employ are pushing the work along with all possible speed. In fifteen days the track will be fully completed to the Touchet Station, after which the company will commence carrying freight and passengers both ways. The iron has now all arrived at Wallula for the completion of the road within nine miles of Walla Walla, and the balance to fully complete the road has been contracted for and will arrive in due time, so that Walla Wallians may confidently expect to hear the whistle of the locomotive by the middle of August or first of September.

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Kalama, W. T., Feb. 6, 1875.

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Notice.

HAVING CLOSED OUT BUSINESS WE PROpose an early departure from the State, and we request all persons knowing themselves indebted to us to settle immediately. We may be found at our old place for a few days.

ANDERS & ROWE.

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING MAY 5 1875

THE ELECTION—WHEN?

The death of Hon Geo A LaDow having made a special election necessary in order to have Oregon represented in the next session of Congress many questions are asked as to when such election will take place The law has made no provision as to the length of time after the vacancy occurs which shall elapse before the election The time is to be fixed by the Governor and announced by proclamation His decision in the matter will of course, be governed by the circumstances of the case It is now seven months before the meeting of Congress so there is no occasion for haste The farmers, who comprise most of the voters, are busy with their crops at this season, and their spring work will be only just off their hands when the hay harvest begins On the heels of that will come the grain harvest, which will last till the middle of September Thus there will be no time at which the farmers can so well attend to the public duty of selecting a Congressman as during the last days of September, or the month of October. It is desirable that the time of the election should be so chosen as to secure the largest exercise of the right of suffrage, and we suggest, disclaiming at the same time all intention to thrust our advice on the Governor, that the time above mentioned would be quite early enough for all the necessities of the case, and the most convenient that could be designated for the great mass of the voters.

THE FOURTH STREET BRIDGE

We are reliably informed some of the officials of the west side railway are making themselves ridiculous by stating that the remarks we made a few days ago concerning the unsafe condition of the bridge, were prompted by a design to help somebody or other in a scheme to get the control of the road. Just how our remarks would tend to produce that result, does not appear, nor is apparent what concern it is to us who has the control of the road If the reports of its business, which have been current ever since the first car run over the track, are at all reliable we cannot imagine what any man of sound, business judgment wants to get control of it for.

Our remarks were inspired by no such motives as those suggested, nor by any unkindly feeling toward the road or any person connected with it If the road is in an unsafe condition, the public should be informed of the fact; and that alone is the consideration which induced us to mention it. Our attention had been called to it some days before by a policeman—who we hardly believe was putting up a job to buy or steal the road—and we were assured the bridge was in a dangerous condition We believed our informant to be a reliable man, but comprehending that the injury that would be caused by the publication of such a report might be considerable, we forbore to make any mention of the matter without first satisfying ourselves beyond doubt by a personal examination That examination confirmed the report of our informant to the fullest extent, and we then gave the facts. That is the history of the case

Now, if that bridge is not rotten, it is a very easy matter to prove it, and if the railway company cannot accord to us the candor we profess, we hope they will allow that we possess a little more common sense than to involve ourselves in a falsehood which could be so certainly detected and so easily proved The truth is as we stated. Many of the timbers of the Fourth street bridge are badly rotted It requires no engineering skill for one to know rotten wood when he sees it, and we having seen this bridge know it is badly decayed If any person who doubts us, will take the trouble to go and examine for himself, he will doubt no longer The bridge may continue to support the daily trains all summer but no one who knows its actual condition, will be surprised to see a smash up at any time

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

There may be nothing in a name, and yet when we find persons of similar names acting alike in different ages, we cannot but think the bard of Avon may have been wrong in his opinion. It has been a good many thousand years since Noah I. snuffed danger three years ahead and made good his escape from the perils of the great flood, and still his namesakes are practising the same sort of discretion The Washington *Chronicle* of April 16, which is the only paper that has reached us since the Union Pacific railway was cut in two by the floods, tells of another individual of the diluvian and antediluvian name who, seeing that the "floodgates of calumny" told of by our esteemed attorney general, were just about to open on him, "folded his tent like an Arab and silently stole away"—his last theft let us hope He built no ark, for he didn't care about taking any of the other animals along The story runs thus:

J J. Noah, of Alabama a third class clerk in the contract office, postoffice department, resigned his position a few days since, and his resignation was accepted. The postmaster general is authority for saying that his resignation would not have been accepted had he known, as he did a few days later that Noah was cognizant of the mail contract frauds Noah was appointed in July 1871, on the demand of Senator Spencer who, just before the close of the session of the Senate made him clerk of the committee on the District of Columbia

GOOD CAUSE FOR CENSURE

Judge Neilson, it seems does not consider the practice of writing private letters to the court, to be read to the public nor the demand of a person to be called as a witness when the counsel of the parties have determined to the contrary, as a practice to be encouraged! His honor evidently has some old fogy notions that it would be well for him to get rid of It is not in keeping with the progressive sentiments of the age and place especially the latter, for him to refuse to permit lobbyists in a case of such magnitude and interest as that which is now occupying his attention, to inject stump speeches into the proceedings for the benefit of their side of the case and the rudeness of his conduct becomes the more flagrant when he himself is tendered the honor of declaiming the proposed speeches from the bench His conduct certainly deserves censure

The awarding of the contract for the building of the revenue cutter for the Columbia river to the New Oregon Iron Works is an item of interest to our citizens It will furnish employment to working men and scatter a nice little sum of money among our people besides being something of a recognition that Oregon has an existence

The Pendleton *Tribune* in an extra announcing the death of Hon Geo A LaDow says he was walking the streets the evening before, apparently in better health than usual He died the next morning at 2 o'clock

THE DETAINED PASSENGERS

DETAILED ACCOUNT OF THEIR EXPERIENCE

[From the San Francisco Bulletin April 26]

The train that arrived from the East on Saturday evening comprised three sleeping cars, four first-class cars and two second class and brought about six hundred and forty passengers The bulk of the passengers left Omaha on Tuesday the 13th instant The train ran till evening of that day when it was stopped by telegraphic reports of trouble ahead Remaining all night it proceeded slowly next morning to Rawlings Then the conductor learned that the road in front was washed away in places as was also a portion of the road bed in the rear over which they had just passed making it impossible either to advance or return At the station they remained until the following Tuesday during which time construction trains loaded with laborers and lumber were sent to the front All that could be accomplished was by a free use of lumber to construct temporary crossings over the breaks as the whole country was flooded so that nothing could be done by shoveling the soil. Leaving Rawlings, the train crept slowly on to Bitter Creek station, where it remained for the night Here the most of the passengers were transferred to wagons and hauled six miles to Green river station, near Green river Thence by cars to Carter, whence, after remaining over night, the train started at 7 A M arriving at Ogden in the evening after which they experienced no further trouble.

THE CAUSE OF THE DELAY.

The faulty construction of the road was the cause of the detention and expense. The little streams so small as to be unnamed on the map were filled by the melting snow and as soon as the water reached the valley, it found its progress barred by the road bed acting as a dam and either unprovided or poorly provided with culverts This road bed is an elevation of the loose soil of the desert so narrow that the ties project over the sides of it So soon as the water saturated the alkali dust of which the soil is partially composed, it turned to mere mud and melted away or settled down by force of gravity One gentleman who has been a railroad builder for a quarter of a century thus expressed himself My dear sir we didn't see any high water—there was none. A good deal of water came down from the hills, but it would all readily have passed through culverts properly placed, if made 1x4 feet or larger! What few culverts there were did not exceed 2x2 in size, and there were not half enough of them Besides, in building these bridges they just laid a timber down on the sand and built upon that, and they used such small bridge timbers and had had to place so many supports under them that the latter constituted a sort of dam, and the water dug away the sand from under the foundation timbers There is all there is of it sir, and the Government Commissioners who certified that the Union Pacific was a first class road did not tell the truth.

EXPERIENCE OF THE PASSENGERS.

During the detention, such of the passengers as chose to declare themselves penniless were furnished with food at the expense of the company Of the others, immigrants were charged thirty five cents per meal and first-class passengers one dollar. One gentleman, having four ladies under his charge, paid fifteen dollars per day for each of the extra eight days, making the nice little sum of $120 more than he had calculated on Of the provisions furnished, opinions differed—some being satisfied that it was as good as could be got while others declared that the company made so much by boarding them that no extra exertion was made to get them forward Certain it is, that two or three hundred immigrants tired of the long stay at Rawlings waited upon Division Agent Shankland, and intimated something to him which induced him to load them up on a train and push them forward as far as Bitter Creek At this latter station no water was to be had except that brought from Green river in water cars by the railroad company and not enough was furnished even for drinking purposes A few of the passengers even paid ten cents a drink for water to citizens who bought the supplies of the company It is also freely asserted that at least one day was unnecessarily lost at Bitter Creek, in consequence of the agent refusing to pay $10 per day demanded by teamsters for the use of a span of horses and driver He offered $7 50 and not until he was shamed by seeing some of the passengers paying the price demanded out of their own pockets did he accede to the terms. Even then not enough teams were hired, and many of the passengers walked the six miles through the deep sand It is a noteworthy fact that the travelers in the wagons were not inconvenienced by the water at all—the country road following the ridges or high ground while the railroad is built in the lowest depressions Many of the passengers some of them ladies with children had been sixteen days cooped up in the cars since leaving New York

DANIEL DREW AND THE STOCK EXCHANGE

The following article from the *Nation* of April 8th, is both timely and just especially the concluding paragraph All will agree who remember his stock gaming with Jim Fisk some years ago that it is high time he was making his peace—not piece—if he ever intends to do so The *Nation* says

Last week the stock exchange was placed on the verge of a panic by the failure of Mr Daniel Drew, "the veteran operator" to make his "puts" and "calls" It turned out the next day however, that the reason was that he was sick at home and had neglected to give instructions to his brokers about the matter Mr Drew is eighty one years old and at that age it is not surprising that a man should be sick and should forget his "puts" and be unmindful of his "calls" but when his indisposition and his forgetfulness threaten the public with a financial crisis it is not unfair to ask whether it would not be well for a person so well advanced in life to forsake the stock exchange altogether There must surely be some pursuit which a gentleman of Mr Drew's well known piety could find distraction in in his last years besides betting on stocks He may at any moment in the natural order have not only "to lay down his stock privileges" as they say on the street but to "lay down on everything in the world" and we beg most earnestly to suggest that he will, in the interest of society, prepare for that event by a complete retirement from business We make this appeal to him as an aged patriot his pastor might reinforce it by considerations of a higher order, addressed to him in the character of an old sinner

There is a new version of an ancient rhyme which strikes us as being a great improvement on its predecessor It runs

It is good to be merry and wise
It is good to be honest and true
And before you are off with the old love
It is best to be on with the new

MARRIED.

In Salem May 3 F F Hibler and Miss Mar[illegible] Darrow

In Victoria April [illegible] Lionel Blake Nason and Miss Mary Agnes Watson

DIED.

In Baker City April [illegible] Miss Mary K [illegible] aged 14 years and 4 months

NEW TO-DAY.

CROQUET SETS, VARIOUS STYLES AND BABY CARRIAGES are at Ackerman's Dollar Store

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OF THE

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WILL BE HELD AT

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On the Lands of Messrs HOWELL BROS who have kindly tendered the use of grounds to the Committee—on

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BARGE "AUTOCRAT"

Have been chartered for the occasion and will leave the O S N Co's Wharf at 8½ o'clock A M

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John Farrow James Liddy

Willamette Tribe No 6.

James Schroeffel
Rudolph Schmeer Henry Ludwig
A Oblasser A Matschek

Members of the Order will assemble at the Wigwam at 7½ o'clock A M and the

PARADE

Will take place at 8 o'clock A M

Grand Marshal	E. J JEFFERY, No. 3.
Asst. Marshal.	RUFUS NORMAN, No 4.
Asst. Marshal	ADAM STAENDER No 6.
President of the Day	W H. WILLIAMS, No. 4.
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MERCY MERRICK	MRS ROBT FULFORD
Grace Roseberry	Miss Blanche Galton
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Julian Gray	Thos Whiffin
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Admission—Dress circle $1 gallery 50 cents. Reserved seats may be secured on Wednesday between 10 A M and 4 P M at the box office

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U B SCOTT Master

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M S Hellman will continue business at the old stand

Canyon City Grant County Oregon April 28 1875
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Members of sister Tribes are cordially invited to be present By order of the

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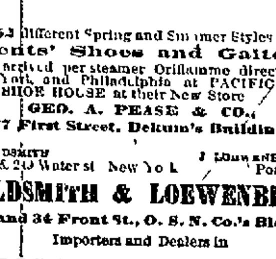

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 5,1

CITY.

Badly Injured —A man named Tusti
seriously, if not fatally injured yes
afternoon, by an old wooden wall falling
him He was engaged in clearing up t
bris of the old wooden houses which
been torn down and removed to give p
a brick building at the corner of Firs
Yamhill streets, when the accident occ
While gathering up some old laths ne
rickety wall it became detached from t
tenings, and suddenly fell with a loud
Tustin saw it descending but before he
get out of the way, he was caught. Som
who were standing on the sidewalk, s
wall fall, and heard the exclamation o
which escaped from the poor man Th
to his rescue and soon extricated him
which he was removed to the drug-store
E Adams, on First street On an exa
tion of the injuries it was found that s
of his ribs were broken, and the hip co
ably bruised It is thought he has sus
internal injuries of a serious nature.
quently Tustin was removed to Thom
boarding house and Dr. C C Strong
moned The extent of the injuries can
known for a few days. Tustin is a very
working, steady man. He has a wife
large family, who are residing in Till
county.

Flood or no Flood.—It is now begini
be a question of some interest to the
living on the Columbia river below th
cades, as well as those in the vicinity of
land, as to whether they are to h
flood this spring or not As we live s
nearer the snow banks than our Oregon
bors do, we can assure them that there
doubt a sufficient amount of snow i
mountains to make long legged 'boo
short tailed-coats all the fashion in Po
within the next six weeks, provide
weather continues as hot for any len
time as it is now and has been for the l
weeks For if it continues hot the sno
be all melted off at once, and they ma
out for such a dampening as will re
their minds the spring of 1862, and
sibly go that flood "some better."
we should have enough cool weather i
to slacken the thaw and let the wate
down more gradually, then the Portl
may sleep without fear of awaking in a f
palace instead of in their usually high a
homes If they will just keep their
the thermometer they can form a correc
ion, for as the mercury ascends so ma
expect the water to rise. The above, i
the Walla Walla *Union*.

Installation —The following officer
of Cleanthe Grove No 4, U. A. O D, w
stalled on Monday evening by D D.
Le F A Shaw Samuel S Bowman
Ward S Stevens, S., O. D Buck, T.
Hudson J G, T. D. McMannus, C.,
A Wheeler, R. H. B. The installation
N A. elect D A. Lancaster, was pos
until his return from California. The
elect of Morvin Grove No 2, U. A. O. D
duly installed last evening as follows
cev Ball, N. A , L. Lemline, V. A., 1
man, S , W. H Utter, T - J. S Thoma

From Canyon City.—A gentleman
cently arrived here from Canyon City
us that the crops in that section are
well, and farming prospects generally
couraging There is more snow on th
road this season than usual, but less
Harney road. A silver mine has been
ered about twelve miles from Canyon C
Rider Creek This mine, we learn, w
covered some years ago, but was lost.
quently it was found again, and our
ant states that operations will soon com

Oregon Presbytery.—The Presby
Oregon convenes on Wednesday evenin
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WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 5, 1875.

CITY.

Badly Injured.—A man named Tustin was seriously, if not fatally injured yesterday afternoon, by an old wooden wall falling upon him. He was engaged in clearing up the debris of the old wooden houses which have been torn down and removed to give place to a brick building at the corner of First and Yamhill streets, when the accident occurred. While gathering up some old laths near the rickety wall, it became detached from the fastenings and suddenly fell with a loud crash. Tustin saw it descending, but before he could get out of the way, he was caught. Some men who were standing on the sidewalk saw the wall fall, and heard the exclamation of pain which escaped from the poor man. They ran to his rescue and soon extricated him, after which he was removed to the drug-store of W. L. Adams, on First street. On an examination of the injuries, it was found that several of his ribs were broken, and one hip considerably bruised. It is thought he has sustained internal injuries of a serious nature. Subsequently, Tustin was removed to Thompson's boarding-house and Dr. C. C. Strong summoned. The extent of the injuries cannot be known for a few days. Tustin is a very hard working, steady man. He has a wife and a large family, who are residing in Tillamook county.

Flood or no Flood.—It is now beginning to be a question of some interest to the people living on the Columbia river below the Cascades, as well as those in the vicinity of Portland, as to whether they are to have a flood this spring or not. As we live a little nearer the snow banks than our Oregon neighbors do, we can assure them that there is no doubt of sufficient amount of snow in the mountains to make long-legged boots and short-tailed coats all the fashion in Portland, within the next six weeks, provided the weather continues as hot for any length of time as it is now and has been for the last few weeks. For if it continues hot the snow will be all melted out at once, and they may look out for such a dampening as will recall to their minds the spring of 1862, and possibly go that flood "some better." But if we should have enough cool weather in May to slacken the thaw and let the water come down more gradually, then the Portlanders may sleep without fear of awaking in a floating palace instead of in their usually high and dry homes. If they will just keep their eye on the thermometer they can form a correct opinion, for as the mercury ascends so may they expect the water to rise. The above is from the *Walla Walla Union*.

Installation.—The following officers elect of Cleanthe Grove No. 4, U. A. O. D., were installed on Monday evening by D. D. G. A., Le F. A. Shaw: Samuel S. Bowman, V. A.; Ward B. Stevens, S.; O. D. Buck, T.; H. T. Hudson, J. G.; T. D. McMannus, C.; Charles A. Wheeler, R. H. B. The installation of the N. A. elect, D. A. Lancaster, was postponed until his return from California. The officers elect of Morvin Grove No. 2, U. A. O. D., were duly installed last evening as follows: Chauncy Ball, N. A.; L. Letoline, V. A.; D. Riemin, S.; W. H. Utter, T.; J. S. Thomas, J. G.

From Canyon City.—A gentleman who recently arrived here from Canyon City informs us that the crops in that section are looking well, and farming prospects generally are encouraging. There is more snow on the Boise road this season than usual, but less on the Harney road. A silver mine has been discovered about twelve miles from Canyon City, on Riley Creek. This mine, we learn, was discovered some years ago, but was lost. Subsequently, it was found again, and our informant states that operations will soon commence.

Oregon Presbytery.—The Presbytery of Oregon convenes on Wednesday evening at 7½ o'clock, in the Presbyterian church in Portland. The services will be opened with a sermon by the moderator, Rev. J. R. Thompson, of Olympia, W. T. The public are cordially invited to be present at any of the sittings of the body, which are all open, and which will continue throughout the week. Divine service will also be held on Thursday and Friday evenings, to which all are invited.

Weather Report.—From the records of the U. S. Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon, May 4, 1875:

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Crayon Photograph.—At the show window of Messrs. Clarke & Henderson can be seen a crayon photograph of Miss Susana Stachel, executed by Mr. Hasselman, of Buchtel & Stolte's gallery. The picture was presented by the above named firm to the German Fair and won by the lady mentioned. The picture is one of the triumphs of the photographic art.

Grounds Examined.—The committee appointed by the meeting held on Friday evening last, to select a suitable location for the Agricultural and Mechanics' Fair grounds, in the vicinity of the city, have examined the ground embracing a portion of the Balch and McKeone claim, and will make their report on Thursday evening.

Progress Club.—At the annual meeting of the Progress Club, held on Monday evening, the following officers were elected: Dr. J. A. Chapman, president; Ralph Jacobs, vice president; Isaac Blum, Secretary; Charles Hirstel, treasurer; Col. R. K. Batchelder, L. Fleischner, J. W. Whalley, J. D. DuBois, D. L. Walter, directors.

Found.—On First street, between Morrison and Alder, No. 105, the place where watches, clocks and jewelry can be bought at reasonable prices, and where watch repairing is done at a lower price than at any other establishment in this city. Call on W. Friedlander.

Gussie Telfair.—This steamer arrived here from Victoria and way ports on Monday night. She made a quick trip, having accomplished the passage from Portland to Victoria in 36 hours. The *Telfair* brought about 700 barrels of lime from San Juan Island.

Literary Society.—The literary society of the Taylor street M. E. church will meet this evening in the vestry of the church. A pleasant, social time is expected. Spelling and other literary exercises will occupy the time. Admission free.

Acquitted.—At a late hour last evening, the jury in the case of U. S. vs Chas. H. Friendly, indicted for selling spirituous liquor without paying tax, brought in a verdict of not guilty.

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION.

We are in receipt of the following circular:

PORTLAND, May 1, 1875.

Gentlemen:—I beg to inform you that I am advised by Don Francisco 2do Casanueva, consul general of the Republic of Chile, that it is now time to commence forwarding samples and goods to the International Exhibition at Santiago, Chile.

As I am very desirous of seeing Oregon represented along with California and other States, I shall be pleased if you will kindly forward to my address any samples or goods you may desire to exhibit, which will have a conspicuous place in the palace of the Exhibition, as I have secured sufficient floor space.

Goods sent for sale are entered free of duty and carried at a nominal freight, if in packages of 20 cubic feet or 2,000 lbs. in weight. My correspondents in Valparaiso will be glad to attend to the sale of any consignments you may make.

JAMES LAIDLAW.

PICNICS.

The fourth annual picnic of the Improved Order of Red Men will take place next Wednesday on Howell Bros'. farm, Sauvie's Island. The fine steamer *Annie Stewart* and barge *Autocrat* have been engaged for the occasion, and other arrangements are being perfected to make it exceed, in every particular, all affairs of like character heretofore given by the order. On previous occasions the largest steamers have been engaged and each time they were crowded to such an extent that it was thought best to procure ample accommodations in the future. It will be observed that the committees have taken measures to provide room for all. A complete programme is published to-day.

NEW ENGINE HOUSE.

A DESCRIPTION OF THE NEW HOUSE OF MULTNOMAH CO. NO. 2.

According to promise, we give below the following description of the new engine house of Multnomah Co. No. 2 and the manner in which it is furnished: The building is constructed of brick, with iron trimmings, two and a half stories high. The lower story is of rustic design, and the upper of pure Corinthian style of architecture. The lower story, or engine room, is 76 feet long, 23½ feet wide, and 15 feet in the clear. In the northwest corner of the room is a small sitting room 11½x14½ feet, and 12 feet high. This room is carpeted, provided with chairs, and the wall adorned with a number of handsome paintings. As the name implies, the room is intended for a rendezvous for the members during the winter evenings, or at any other time. From the first floor, a broad flight of stairs lead up to the second story. This story is exclusively occupied as a meeting room for the company. To attempt to give one an adequate idea of the manner in which this apartment is furnished, and the elegance of the surroundings, would be useless, for, to employ an old and trite saying, "it must be seen to be appreciated. A partial description of this room will suffice to enable the reader to form some idea of the rich and costly style in which it is furnished. The meeting room is 23½ feet wide, 55 feet long, and 17 feet in the clear. It is covered with Brussels carpet of the finest pattern, purchased at a cost of *seven dollars a yard*. The furniture of the room consists of a president's chair, president's table, a secretary's and treasurer's chair and table, 12 easy chairs, 8 sofas, a large mirror and a center table. All the above furniture was made by the Oregon Furniture Manufacturing Company of this city, who also furnished the carpets, curtains, valences and other hangings. Without exception the furniture is manufactured of black walnut, trimmed with the Oregon curly maple, which makes a finish not to be excelled for beauty and elegance. The sofas and chairs are perfect marvels of beauty and workmanship, and will last, with careful usage, a quarter of a century. At the eastern (front) end of the room, stands a large mirror, 14½ feet high and 4½ feet wide. The mirror plate was imported by the O. F. M. Co. expressly for the purpose, and is of uncommon thickness and clearness. It rests on a marble slab, supported by an ornamental pedestal, and is surrounded by a frame wrought out into carvings and scroll work of unique design and elegant workmanship. As the mirror stands, it challenges the admiration of all, and is a perfect model of mechanical taste and skill. Above the scroll work surmounting the mirror, is perched an eagle with outstretched pinions, which lends an effect to the whole work of art both pleasing and picturesque. At the base of the mirror, on the marble slab, are placed two inverted silver firemen's trumpets, while between them sit two large Bohemian vases, each bearing a large and handsome bouquet. Each chair and sofa has ingeniously worked in wood, on the back, the monogram of the company, the letter "M," with a figure "2" in the center. The president's chair is one of the most elaborate pieces of furniture that we have ever seen, which is all we can say by way of description. It is a triumph as well as a marvel of mechanical skill. The sofas and chairs are covered with dressed horsehide, of a deep crimson hue, and all the material used is of the best and most select quality. Every piece of furniture was made to order, and the credit of the design of all belongs to Mr. Samuel Lowenstein. The carvings, and in fact the entire work, demonstrates beyond all doubt that the Oregon Furniture Manufacturing Co. have some of the most expert and skillful workmen in its employ, and that the company are able to successfully challenge the Eastern and California factories to turn out better or more elegant work. A slab and gavel on the president's table displays some of Oregon's most valuable woods—the former being made of curly maple, and the latter of dog-wood, finely finished and polished to the highest degree. With the exception of the black walnut—(of course, that does not grow here), the marble slab, before mentioned, and the mirror plate, every piece of furniture is purely an Oregon production—material and workmanship. In addition to the furniture, which alone was sufficient to impart a sumptuous and magnificent air to the apartment, a number of beautiful Bohemian vases are distributed about, supporting large bouquets of the rarest flowers, whose fragrance filled the room, and rich colors fascinated the eye. On one of the tables was placed a large silver trumpet inclosed in a glass case. The trumpet is very handsome and bears the following inscription, which will give its historical significance in connection with the company: "Presented by Multnomah Co. No. 2, of Portland, Oregon, December 4, 1862, to A. B. Hallock, five years their foreman." On the centre table rests two vases, each bearing a fragrant bouquet, and a solid silver pitcher and a goblet of like material. Around on the walls of the room are placed large photographs of the persons who have faithfully served the company in the capacity of foremen. There are eight of them—four on each side. On one side we observed the familiar features of A. B. Hallock (who served the company as foreman for seven years, and now chief engineer of the department), A. A. Williams, T. B. Trevett, Joseph Buchtel; and on the opposite side S. G. Skidmore, B. F. Goodwin, A. H. Johnson, and L. C. Millard. Above the president's chair is a large and rich oil painting, while a little higher is a large photograph of Miss Mary Sheridan, an honorary member of the company. At each end of the president's table is placed a large bronze figure of a female, partially *dis habille*, mythically representing "morning" and "night," bearing aloft in their hands the gas jet and glass globe, and presenting a very handsome picture of repose. A large chandelier, having twelve burners, and of fantastic and elaborate design dependent from the ceiling, sheds down a flood of light sufficient to illuminate the whole apartment. On each of the glass globes the word "Multnomah" is blown. To the rear of the meeting room is a small apartment for the use of the engineer, 11½ by 14½ feet, and 11 feet in the clear. This room is very neatly furnished, and the walls adorned with a number of pictures.

The engineer, Mr. Waschar, has been busily engaged for several days in burnishing up both the old and new engine, and making them present the best possible appearance. These engines looked as bright and clean as a new pin, and with bouquets and ribbons distributed about them, presented a splendid appearance. All the hats and belts belonging to the company were also rubbed up and placed in a row on one side of the lower room.

From an early hour yesterday morning until late last evening there was a constant stream of persons coming to and going from the new engine house, as it was thrown open to the public. Such unqualified expressions of admiration as "magnificent," "perfectly splendid," "isn't it grand," "elegant furniture," etc., were heard on every hand. Persons who pass through the building will cease to wonder why the members of this old, sterling fire organization should feel proud of their new and commodious quarters.

NEW BOOKS.

The following new books have just been added to the Portland library:

The Last Journals of Dr. Livingstone in Central Africa, from 1865 to his death; continued by a narrative of his last moments and sufferings, obtained from his faithful servants, Chuma and Susi; by Horace Waller, F. R. G. S.; with portraits, maps and illustrations.

The Straits of Malacca, Indo-China and China, or Ten Years' Travels, Adventures and Residence Abroad; by J. Thompson, F R. G. S.

How to Write Clearly; Rules and Exercises on English Composition; by Rev. Edwin A. Abbott, M. A.

Generalship, or How I Managed My Husband; to all ladies who practice generalship, and to their lords who are practiced *upon*, this tale is respectfully dedicated; by Geo. Roy.

Bric-a-Brac Series; Prosper Merimee's Letters to an Incognita, with Recollections by Lamartine and George Sand; edited by Richard Henry Stoddard.

Caleb Kringle, a story of American life; by Charles Carllton Coffin.

Mistress Judith, a Cambridgeshire Story; by C. C. Fraser Tytler.

Scandinavian History from the earliest to the present time; by E. C. Otte.

International Scientific Series; the Doctrine of Descent and Darwinism; by Oscar Schmidt, Professor in the Strasbourg University; illustrated.

Old Myddleton's Money; a novel; by Mary Cecil Hay.

Hope Meredith; a novel; by Eliza Tabor.

Longevity; the means of prolonging life after middle age; by John Gardner, M. D.

Ralph Wilson's Weird; by Mrs. Alexander.

The Young Outlaw, or Adrift in the Streets; by Horatio Alger, Jr.

Katerfelt; a story of Exmoor; by G. J. Whyte Melville.

BRIEF NOTES.

Several residents of Coos Bay are at present in the city.

State circuit court will hold a special term to-morrow.

Mrs. Fulford's benefit to-morrow evening at New Market Theater.

The block south of the Clarendon Hotel is being filled with earth.

The steamer *Ohio* will leave Wednesday morning next for Eugene City.

Pat Smith will leave for the Sound this morning with a number of sheep.

Heavy showers yesterday and last night, for which the farmers will be thankful.

Latest intelligence from up the Columbia indicate that the water is at a stand still.

Up to the hour of going to press the steamer *John L. Stephens* had not been heard from.

The steamer *California* did not sail hence for the north until 4 o'clock yesterday morning.

We advise hunters to read the game law carefully before engaging in their favorite sport.

Work has been commenced on the keel of the new ferry boat for Russell & Douglass, at Albina.

The incoming steamer will be likely to bring the delayed Eastern paper mails. Large letter mails arrived by last trains from the south.

In behalf of our typos we return thanks to the members of Multnomah Co. No. 2, for a dish of delicious ice cream sent to this office last evening.

The work of demolishing the wooden buildings, at the corner of Yamhill and First streets, to make way for the new brick building to be erected the coming summer by Mr. Strowbridge, has commenced.

UNITED IRISHMEN.

Articles of incorporation have been filed in the clerk's office by S. J. McCormick, Michael Phelan and John Finnen, as follows:

The name of the society shall be "The United Irishmen," of Portland, Oregon, and the duration shall be unlimited.

The objects of this society are to assist by substantial aid such members thereof in good standing, as may at any time be afflicted with sickness, and in case of death of members, to give them a Christian burial, and to take charge of the widow and orphans of each member thereof, if any are left in needy circumstances, and provide for their wants, and accumulate a fund, out of which such assistance may be rendered, and to acquire and hold all property, real and personal, suitable to the objects aforesaid.

The estimated value of property and money possessed by said society is $600, and its sources of revenue and income are dues and fines collected from members, and donations of money and property that may be made to said society.

The title of the officers making these articles of incorporation are: President, S. J. McCormick; Vice President, M. Phelan; Treasurer, John Finnen, and their successors in office are elected annually, on the fourth Friday of May of each year.

The society is located in Portland, Oregon.

THE COURTS.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

TUESDAY, May 4, 1875.

E. Spedden et al vs tug *Favorite*; argument on exception to the libel, opened and continued until to-morrow, and motion that libel herein be taken as conferred against all other parties to this suit, etc., is denied.

United States vs Mark Winslow; order setting aside and vacating the order directing the entry of the plea of not guilty herein, and defendant to plead to-morrow.

United States vs Charles H. Friendly; is indicted as a wholesale liquor dealer without paying tax; cause on trial.

COUNTY COURT—WOODWARD, J.

LAW.

Stephen Coffin vs. O. C. R. R. Co.; argued on demurrer; demurrer sustained.

PROBATE.

In the matter of the petition of J. K. Holmes for the adoption of William M. Chatfield, a minor; prayer of the petitioner granted.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac Smith, deceased; order of sale of real property made.

In the matter of the guardianship of Luella Prettyman, a minor; order appointing Chas. Gardiner as next friend, order and petition to be published.

Court adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

AMUSEMENTS.

By the steamer *John L. Stephens*, due this evening, will arrive Frank Gilder, the brilliant pianist, and Madame Babcox. This lady came to California recently with the Oates troupe as leading soprano. She comes to us with the highest encomiums from the press. On arriving here, the company will be joined by Mr. Thomas Whiffin and Miss Blanche Galton. The first entertainment of the concert season will be given on Friday and Saturday evenings of the present week.

Owing to the reception which will take place this evening at the new engine house of Multnomah Co. No. 2, the benefit of Mrs. Robert Fulford, which was to have been given this evening at New Market theater, has been postponed until to-morrow (Thursday). The public will please bear this fact in mind. To-morrow evening an excellent bill will be rendered,—the "New Magdalen." The Amphion Club have volunteered and will favor the audience with a few of their capital selections. We are assured that a crowded house will be present.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

T. A. Davis & Co. offer a country drug store for sale, with lot, building, fixtures and stock.

A good sawmill, with splendid water-power, in Clatsop county, is offered for sale by George T. Myers, assignee.

Mr. John Wintler, late of Philadelphia, has associated with Mr. F. Opitz in the Oregon Bakery. The new firm solicit a continuance of patronage, and guarantee full satisfaction at all times.

John W. Tucker & Co., jewelers, of San Francisco, are offering the Granger watch, which is having a large sale throughout the coast. A careful perusal of the very attractive advertisement will lead the reader to fully understand what is claimed for this watch.

Mr. Walter Norton, late of Fleidner Bros., will be pleased to see his numerous friends at his new barber shop, Alder street, near Front. Everything in first class order and prompt attention.

SOMETHING NEW.

The new style of promenade photographs. These beautiful pictures are now made at Bosco & Megler's new rooms, Nos. 127 and 129, First street. Call and examine them.

During the warm weather there is nothing better nor more cooling than a drink of soda water from Gibson & Co.'s "Arctic."

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Ladies who wish to have their own hair braided, made into switches, or worked up into any kind of ornamental work for use or preservation, will do well to call on or send to Mrs. Larson, on Ninth street, between C and D. She does all such work very neatly and upon reasonable terms. n28dlm

M. ROSENBLATT, Clothier, has just returned from San Francisco with a large Stock of Spring Goods—particularly Boys' and Youths' Clothing, at lower rates than ever. Call and see before purchasing. The store is No. 79 Front street.

PLEASURE BOATS.

I have a number of Sail and Row Boats ready at any moment to let at reasonable charges. Boats made to order.

JOHN LACHAPELLE,
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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 5, 1875.

PETER RAYMOND'S SON.

Twenty years ago Peter Raymond owned a hard, stony farm, eighteen miles from Hartford. One September evening about nine o'clock as he returned home from a neighbor's he suddenly recollected that he had left his bridle hanging on a bar post by his sheep barn when he turned his old white mare in the pasture that afternoon. He sprang over the wall and struck across lots, hoping to secure it before any greedy mawed bovine should make it forever useless for bridle purposes. As he drew near the barn he thought he heard voices inside. What any one should be there for he could not conjecture. He stepped as lightly as he could on the unmowed rowen and slipped in behind the big door, which was standing ajar, and listened.

Philip, his eldest son was there, and Clinton Dexter, a son of the man at whose house he had been to call. The lads were about of an age—both nearly fifteen. Philip was talking when his father went up to the barn, but he finished what he was saying just as Mr. Raymond got into position to catch the words, and young Dexter commenced to reply. He said:

"Well, Phil, my father is just as inconsiderate as your father is. I don't think that he remembers he ever was a boy. There is scarcely a day in the year that he does not ride out—he rides more'n he used to before he was first selectman; and you may be sure that he always has something on hand to be done, just as your father does. Soon as the frost is out of the ground, in the spring, he tells me before he rides off that I may pick up stones or spread manure till it is time to milk and fodder; after that comes plowing and planting; a little later in the season he tells me to hoe corn or potatoes, or weed the garden, till it is time to get up the cows; and, if he is at home when I take the pails to go out and milk, he always tells me to be sure and strip the cows clean, just as though he thought I should be lazy and dishonest enough to leave half the milk in their bags if he did not tell me so; and he would be just as likely to tell me that before a dozen visitors as any—makes a fellow feel mighty comfortable, you know. In the winter I have to chop wood most of the time that I am not in school; and I don't think my father ever feels quite satisfied if I don't chop as much, and hoe as much, and plow as much as a full grown man could do in the same time. I didn't know till the other day how it was with you, Phil. I don't wonder that your patience is worn out, and I assure you that I am quite as tired of living in this way as you are."

"I hesitated a good while, Clint," Phil replied, "before I decided to speak to speak to about it; but I made up my mind in haying time that it was the last summer that I should stay at home and help hay it and fare as I did then. Father is always ready to find fault—he generally says when he gets home, 'I don't think you've hurt yourself working, to-day, Philip!' And sometimes he asks me if my back doesn't ache, I've chopped so much or hoed so much; and, no matter if I work as hard as I can from sunrise till sundown, I never heard anything more encouraging—never got one word of praise. I feel sorry to clear out, on my mother's account. I love her, and I believe that she loves me; but if father loves me he never shows it—never speaks a tender loving word to me. My mind is fully made up, Clint. I am going to run away; and I want to get off to-night. Never mind about your clothes—I've got shirts and handkerchiefs and stockings enough put up, and I'll divide with you till we can earn more. Last week I thought it over, and I thought it would grieve mother so I pretty much decided to give it up; but I got so provoked the day that father went to Hartford I determined I would go anyway. You see, here I've lived ever since I was born, within eighteen miles of Hartford, but never was there, nor in any other city. I asked father if I might go with him, last June, when he was going, and he said that I couldn't go very well then, but I should go with him the first time that he went after haying. Well, when he spoke of going, last week, I asked him if he was going to take me along, and he answered, pretty crabbedly, 'No, sir; pretty time for you to think of going, when the hired man is gone!' I told him that I would get you to come and do the chores, and that you would be as faithful in doing them as I would be; but he wouldn't hear a word about it. I didn't feel very light hearted after he was gone, but I tried to brave it out the best that I could; and I worked hard all day. That afternoon was a dark, cloudy afternoon; and I got up the cows and milked them, a little earlier than I supposed that I did; but I don't think the sun was five minutes high when I got the chores done. I took the newspaper and sat down in the door, so as to be on hand to take care of the horse when father came; and I hadn't read a quarter of a column when he drove up. Well, as true as I live and breathe, after his promising me that I should go to Hartford with him the first time that he went after haying and then breaking his word leaving me to feel disappointed and to work hard all day, the first thing he said to me when he drove up was: 'What are you sitting there a reading for? Why aren't you doing your chores?' It galled, I tell you, but I replied as calmly as I could that the chores were all done; and he said: 'Oh, oh, that is it, is it? You do the chores the middle of the afternoon, when I am gone, and then sit down and read, do you?' It was so confounded cutting, if he had stuck a knife into me he wouldn't have hurt me any worse. I vowed then that I would see Hartford on my birthday, and I shall be much mistaken if I am not there to-morrow morning; and if my father sees me again for one year, he'll see more'n I think he will. I will be here at the barn at just midnight. My bundle of clothes is here now in the oat bin. Don't fail to be on time, Clint. We must get to Hartford by sunrise. I want to get a little glimpse of the city before the steamboat goes out. I don't know what the fare is to New York. I doubt if we have money enough to take us there. If we haven't, we can stop at some of the landing places on the way."

What a variety of feelings Peter Raymond had in the fifteen minutes he stood behind that barn door and listened. At first he was so utterly surprised he could hardly believe his own ears; but as he took it all in—as he comprehended what his son contemplated doing, he was in high dudgeon; he unconsciously closed his teeth very firmly and clinched his right fist tightly. He could hardly refrain from pouncing upon his son then and there and giving him a sound drubbing, but he decided that it would be wise to hear the boys talk out and learn all their plans, and then confront them. But as Philip talked on Raymond's teeth were less firmly closed, and then Philip said in a half sad tone, "I doubt if my father loves me at all," a dozen different feelings strove for the mastery.

"Don't love him?" he repeated to himself, "the ungrateful rascal! Haven't I been scrubbing along savingly as possible, and privately putting little sums into the savings bank, so that I could send him away in a year or two, and give him a better chance for an education than I ever had? Haven't I often said to my friends that he was one of the most faithful, trusty boys in the world? and that I could leave home any time, day or night, and never worry about things as long as he was there to take care? If he does doubt my love, up to this time I have loved him and have been proud of him. I haven't been very demonstrative about it, to be sure. I never thought it was wise to pet and praise children. Perhaps I have been a little too unsocial and straight-laced with him. Maybe I'd better not let them know that I've heard this talk about their running away; but I shall, of course, do something to prevent their going. I'll go up to the house and think over what course to take."

And Peter Raymond crept away from the barn as though he were a sneak thief, and then hurried home as fast as he could, not once thinking of his bridle. He had hardly got seated in his usual place in the big arm chair before Philip came in. Philip expected his father would say, gruffly: "It is high time you were in bed." And so he was taken by surprise when his father said gently:

"Won't you hand me the almanac before you sit down, Philip?"

Philip's mother raised her eyes from her sewing and glanced at her husband as though she wondered what had called forth such unusual gentleness. Raymond opened the almanac at September, and, after glancing down the page, he turned to his wife and asked: "Is to-day the third or fourth Tuesday of the month?"

"The fourth," she replied. "To-morrow is the last day of the month."

"Are you quite sure about it," he queried, "if you are correct, I am a week behind hand in my reckoning. I've had so many things crowding upon me lately, I've hardly known which way to turn first. I promised Mr. Skidmore that I would take that two year old heifer away that I bought of him before the first of October. She must be got home to-morrow."

Philip got up to go to bed. Raymond said: "Don't hurry, Philip; I'm thinking how to get that heifer home. I believe I will take you down there early in the morning, and leave you to drive her up. It is nine miles there, but you can come back leisurely, and feed along side the road. You'd like it as well as to stay at home and work, wouldn't you, Philip?"

"Yes, sir."

Philip replied in an absent-minded way. He was in a quandary. Perhaps he had better stay at home a little longer and see if things didn't seem more agreeable to him. Maybe he had judged his father a little too harshly. Clinton Dexter could come to the barn at midnight to meet him, and—

Philip was arrested in his cogitations by his father saying:

"I have so many cares, so many things to think of, that I can hardly keep track of my children's ages. I believe, Philip, your birthday comes the thirtieth of September, doesn't it?"

"Yes, sir."

"And so you will be fifteen years old to-morrow. Well, well, it does beat all how time flies. Fifteen years! It doesn't seem more than half that since you were a baby. Let me see. I believe I promised to let you go to Hartford this fall, didn't I? We shall go half way there when we get to Skidmore's, and seeing to-morrow is your birthday, perhaps we had better keep on. I don't know as we have any better time to leave. We can take an early start—have breakfast at half-past 5, and get off by 6, and by 9, if we have good luck, we shall be there. We can stay there till 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and you wouldn't be late home. It will be light to-morrow evening—there is a good moon, now. Well, you may as well go to bed and get all the sleep you can. I shall call you at 4 o'clock."

Philip started the second time to go, but just as he got his hand on the latch his father said:

"Wait a minute, Philip. If you had some one to keep you company from Skidmore's, and help you drive the heifer, I wouldn't mind staying till nearly night before we left the city. Perhaps Clinton Dexter would be willing to walk up from there with you and help drive her, if he could go with us to Hartford, and spend the day. If you think that he would, and you would like to have him go, you may run over to Mr. Dexter's and tell him that if it is convenient for him to spare Clinton I would like to have him go to Hartford with us to-morrow, and walk home from Skidmore's with you in the evening. And be sure and tell Clinton, if his father consents to his going, that we will call for him as early as 6 o'clock."

Philip said, "Yes, sir," and took up his hat and went into the hall; but before he got to the outside door his father called out—

"One thing more, Philip. I left my bridle hanging on a bar post down by the sheep barn, this afternoon. If you'll come back across the lots and bring it up, it'll save going for it in the morning. I intended to get it myself when I came home from Mr. Dexter's, but it slipped my mind."

"Lucky thing it did," Philip said to himself as he stepped out of the door. "If he had come around that way home and heard Clint and I talking in that barn I guess he wouldn't be in quite so gentle a mood to-night. He would have given me 'Hail Columbia' right and left, and Clint would have fared worse than I, for when his father's back is up he's as savage as a tiger. Strange what has come over father to-night! I noticed that mother was surprised to see him so much more social and gentle than common."

On his way over to Mr. Dexter's Philip had as great a variety of feelings and as great a conflict with them as his father had while standing behind the barn door; but before he got there the summing up was that he was an ungrateful scamp, and that his father was all right, only he had so many cares and anxieties that it sometimes made him a little stern and crabbed.

Mr. Dexter was always ready to oblige his neighbor Raymond, and he cheerfully gave his consent to Clinton's going. Clinton didn't know what to make of this sudden turn of affairs. As he went with Philip to the door, he whispered:

"What's up, Phil? what has happened? Has your father found out anything?"

"Not a thing—not a thing," Philip hurriedly whispered back. "You don't suppose, Clint, he'd be taking us to Hartford, to-morrow, if he had. It's all right, but it's the strangest thing that ever happened—I'll tell you all about it to-morrow—can't stay long enough now."

Mr. Raymond took up a newspaper and bowed his head over it as soon as his son started for Mr. Dexter's; but if his wife had observed him closely she would have soon seen that he did very little reading, and that there was a troubled expression on his countenance. He did not raise his eyes from the paper when he heard returning footsteps, but he listened very intently, and he knew that Philip stole softly and hurriedly to the back end of the hall and opened the chamber door before he came over the sitting room. A look of relief came into his face, and he straightened up as if a great burden had been lifted from him. He had no doubt but that bundle of clothing had been brought up from the oat bin and left on the chamber stairs till Philip should go to bed. That is what he hoped his boy would do when he asked him to come around by the barn and get the halter. He had no further fear that he would attempt to give him the slip that night.

Mr. Raymond and Philip rode up to Mr. Dexter's door for Clinton, the next morning, just as the sun was peeping over the hills. It was as delightful a September morning as they could desire. As soon as they were on the road Mr. Raymond said:

"Now, boys, you must keep your eyes open—see all there is to be seen, and get all the enjoyment out of going that you can. We don't have holidays very often, and we must make the most of them when we do have them. Philip and I have worked pretty hard lately, and I guess, Clinton, that you have! I believe a play day will do us all good. I made up my mind this morning to try and leave all my cares and business behind me for once; so you need have no fears, if you talk to each other all you please, and ask me as many questions as you wish, that it will disturb me at all."

It did not escape Mr. Raymond's observation that his remarks caused the lads to glance at each other in blank astonishment, and it cut him to the quick. "What kind of a father have I been," he asked himself, "not to be able to speak a few civil and kind words to my son without having it received with such surprise. Poor boy! Wonder, pleasure, guilt and grief are all depicted in his countenance to-day. After this, with God's help, I'll so manage that he will never doubt my loving him—never plan to run away from his father's house again."

Mr. Raymond spared no pains to have the boys enjoy their first trip to Hartford. He called their attention to everything that he thought would interest them on the way. He told them who owned such and such a farm when he was a boy; what the land was worth an acre then, and what was its market value now; who built this house and that; and he pointed out where General —— was born, and where Hon. —— lived until he went to college. He was no less painstaking when they got to the city. He took them past Trinity college, the State house, the high school; he pointed out the different churches and told them who preached in them; he went with them to the Athenæum and spent an hour with them there.

Sometimes Philip looked at his father in dumb bewilderment, and wondered if they really were in Hartford or if it were all a dream. How social and interesting his father was! He felt as if he never was acquainted with him before. What a delightful time he should have had if he had not been planning to do so mean a thing. If his father knew it, how he would despise him; he looked at him so earnestly, sometimes he was afraid that he saw guilt tinge his countenance. If he could only get up the courage he would confess the whole to his father and implore his forgiveness.

Thus the day wore away, and Philip was not sorry when it was time to start for home. After Mr. Raymond left the lads to follow on with the heifer, they talked over the events of the past twenty-four hours together, and they were both very decidedly of the opinion that they had had a very narrow and providential escape from committing a very disgraceful act; and they both agreed, after a little discussion on that point, that they would never divulge to a human being that they had ever dreamed of running away.

It was half-past nine when Philip drove the heifer into his father's barnyard. After he had his supper his father asked him to step out to the shed and get a package that was under the wagon seat. When he brought it Mr. Raymond opened it and took from it "Webster's Unabridged Dictionary," and sat down to his desk and wrote on a fly-leaf.

"Presented to Philip C. Raymond, on his fifteenth birthday, by his affectionate father, Peter Raymond." And then without closing the book he passed it to Philip.

Philip could bear no more. The tears that had come to his eyes twenty times during the day, and as many times had been forced back, now overflowed his eyelids and ran down his cheeks. He stammered:

"You are too kind to me, father. I do not deserve this."

"Don't deserve it, Philip!" exclaimed Mr. Raymond, with much apparent surprise. "I think you'd better leave that to my judgment. I should like to know what boy does deserve kindness from his father, if you don't? If I had a dozen sons I could not ask them to be more faithful and industrious than you have been. There, there! don't shed any tears over it—you're tired—better go to bed as soon as you can, so as to feel fresh in the morning. It's a good day, to-morrow, we must secure that rowen."

"Thank you father," Philip said, with a quivering voice, and went immediately up stairs. If he had been a little less overcome himself he would have noticed that his father's voice was slightly shaky; and if he had looked back as he passed out of the door he would have seen his father brush a tear or two from his own eyes.

Henceforth there was no lack of confidence, sympathy and affection between Mr. Raymond and Philip; and by reason of a private interview that Mr. Raymond had with Clinton Dexter's father, Clinton's home life was much more agreeable than heretofore.

Philip has always looked back to his fifteenth birthday as a remarkable epoch in his life, and he never ceased—until his aged father recently visited him and heard him speak rather harshly to his own little son—to marvel at the wonderful change that came over his father, himself, or both, at that time. Then his father took him aside and told him the whole story, and cautioned him against growing into the habit of speaking that way to his children.

"Always remember, Philip, he said, "that crustiness and harshness are no more agreeable to a child's feelings than they are to a grown person's; and that they are more likely to lead any one out of the right path than into it; and that they never will forget love."

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

TUESDAY EVENING, May 4, 1875.

Gold in New York, 115¼.

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying, 87½; selling 88½.

Coin Exchange on San Francisco ½ per cent. premium.

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ½ per cent. premium.

Coin Exchange on New York 1 per cent. premium.

Currency Exchange on New York ½ per cent. premium.

Telegraphic transfers on New York 1½ per cent. premium.

Gold Bars 800.

Latest Liverpool wheat quotations by telegraph are 8s 11d per cental ex warehouse, average California, a decline of 4d.

In no important feature is our local money market changed from the condition noted frequently the past month. The banks are still supplying their regular customers with accommodations at the usual rates, and there appears no scarcity of available funds. The money market may be said to be moving along quietly, and though the demand for loans is greater in volume than was experienced earlier in the season, outside of the inquiry on part of those engaged in the movement of the grain crops, yet it is readily supplied.

In trade matters to-day, the movement was scarcely as brisk as yesterday, but the aggregate volume of business was quite fair. Prices were changed in no important particular. Some of our flour merchants we find are still adhering to the old price of flour, $4 50 per bbl. for standard extras. Wheat appears, from our telegraphic advices from San Francisco, to be slightly depressed in that market, and ours may be properly said to sympathize with it. Although the latest purchases coming to our knowledge were made at about $1 50 per cental delivered here in sacks, it is doubtful if buyers for ordinary lots could be induced to pay more than $1 45 to-day.

Crop Prospects.

Having previously given the reports reaching us concerning the prospects of the grain crop for next harvest in California and Oregon, we find in our latest exchanges from the wheat-growing States east of the Rocky mountains accounts which lead us to believe that Oregon will be a happy exception to a very general rule of a less than average yield this year. Latest reports both by mail and telegraph from what Eastern papers call "the West," respecting the growing crop, are unfavorable, the plant having been injured by the frost. Taking everything into consideration, the prospects for the growing crop, there and in Europe, the lateness of the season everywhere, the greatly reduced supplies in Europe, the certainty of a deficient area under wheat in France and Germany—and we certainly have good reason to count on a better market for our surplus wheat the coming summer and autumn than during the past year. There can be no doubt farmers of the Northwest who have been compelled to sell a portion of their last crop of spring wheat at prices below those current for corn, barley and rye, will at this late period devote a larger area to coarser grains than usual, as they are more reliable crops as a rule. Our late advices from Europe we regard as favorable for our present supplies, as stocks in Western Europe are invariably light, much more so than they had counted on, and it is very evident that the surplus of Eastern Europe has been magnified. It seems plain to us that in estimating their probable supplies of wheat the fact of their crops of rye, oats, barley and Indian corn being very much below former years, has been overlooked, and consequently wheat has been taken largely in their stead. This is true of France, Germany and Great Britain. In winter wheat there has been a decided upward turn; the reports of injury to the growing crop stimulating the local demand, and with light arrivals and a greatly reduced stock, holders have had a marked advantage.

Wheat Exports.

Aside from the shipments of flour and wheat to Kalama by boat and thence by railroad to points in Washington Territory, the exports of these commodities from Oregon from January 1st to date have been equal to 1,237,367 bushels of wheat, as will be seen in the table below, reducing flour to wheat. The shipments prior to January 1st, and after August 1st, 1873, were equal to 1,950,520 bushels of wheat, making the total shipments for the current harvest year to date equal to 3,187,877 bushels. The shipments and value since January 1st are shown in the following table:

Wheat.	*Bushels.*	*Value.*
To Great Britain	612,418	$553,560
To San Francisco	24,220	20,798
To British Columbia	678	601
To Honolulu	109	85
Total	637,425	$575,014
Flour.	*Barrels.*	*Value.*
To Great Britain	71 059½	$289,273
To San Francisco	29,093	110,513
To British Columbia	9,152	41,184
To Honolulu	774	3,183
Total	119,988¾	$447,453

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship John L. Stephens, from San Francisco, will probably arrive to-morrow.

The British ship Elizabeth Dougall, wheat laden, went down the river this morning.

The barkentine Portland still lies at Flanders' wharf awaiting arrangements for her cargo.

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 4.—Flour—Oregon extra, $5 25; California brands, extra, $5@5 50.

Wheat—Choice, $1 60; shippers offering $1 57@1 50.

Barley—Feed, $1 60@1 65; brewing, $1 10.

Oats—Fair, $2 05; good, $2 12½@2 15.

Rye—Good, $1 57½.

Corn—Los Angeles yellow, $1 55.

Hay—Fair, $12 50; volunteer, $13 50; choice wheat, $18 50@19 25.

Potatoes—Tomales, $2 20; from wharf and warehouse, $2 25; jobbing, $2 30@2 40; new crop, $2 50@3.

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AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR LIGHTING the Street Oil Lamps and keeping the same in order.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized and directed to advertise for receiving proposals and enter into contract with the lowest responsible bidder for furnishing oil, wicks, burners and chimneys, and keeping in order the Street Oil Lamps for the term of one year, subject to the following conditions:

The number of lamps required to be lighted under such contract shall not at any time be reduced to a less number than one hundred, but the Council may at any time reduce the number of lamps to be lighted under said contract to that number.

All the oil lamps now erected or to be erected during the year, and required to be lighted under such contract shall be put in good order with proper burners, and other necessary fixtures, before being placed in the hands of the contractor.

The contractor to furnish a good quality of coal oil or kerosene, and from time to time, as may be required, replace all chimneys, burners, etc., with articles of the same size and quality.

He shall keep the fountains and all connected therewith in good repair, and keep clean the fountains, lanterns, burners and posts.

He shall light and keep lit with a good and sufficient light, all of said lamps during the hours specified in a calendar to be prepared and kept in the Auditor's office, the aggregate number of hours of which shall not exceed the aggregate of a calendar filed Feb. 25, 1874, for the year ending March 1, 1875, and at the expiration of his contract shall return the fountains, burners and everything connected therewith in good order and condition.

Section 2. Said contract shall contain a provision to the effect that for any failure to light or keep lit any lamp or lamps in said contract during any of the hours specified in said list, caused by the negligence or the carelessness of the contractor, he shall forfeit pay therefor, and an additional sum equal to one-tenth of the monthly contract price for lighting such lamp for each and every night of such failure.

Also to provide for cancelling such contract upon the failure of the contractor to furnish a good and satisfactory light.

Section 3. He shall give a good and sufficient bond in the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars for the faithful performance of his contract.

Passed the Common Council April 21, 1875.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved April 24, 1875.

HENRY FAILING,
Mayor.

Ash Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve Ash street from the west line of Front street to the plank roadway in Fourth street, by grading, laying new sidewalks where necessary, and planking the roadway and intersections full width with box gutters across the intersections, except a portion of the planking in front of block 27, and a portion of the intersection of First street.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

April 21, 1875. a24d10t

Montgomery Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to change the grades of Montgomery street at the following points:

At Tenth street from 160 feet to 158.5 feet—at Eleventh street from 168 feet to 166.5 feet.

Above the base of grades.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

April 24, 1875. a24d10t

Ordinance No. 1620.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIAtion out of the Police Fund.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The sum of one hundred dollars and five cents is hereby appropriated out of the Police Fund in favor of J. H. Lappeus, Chief of Police, the same being one third of fees in State cases collected and paid into the Treasury for the quarter ending March 31, 1875.

Section 2. The Auditor is hereby directed to draw a warrant for the above named amount in favor of J. H. Lappeus, Chief of Police.

Passed the Common Council April 21, 1875.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

Approved April 24, 1875.

HENRY FAILING,
Mayor.

Second Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve the following named intersections by grading and planking the same the full width. Those portions occupied by the cisterns to be at the expense of the city, viz:

The intersection of Second street with Alder street.

The intersection of Second street with Yamhill street.

The intersection of Second street with Main street.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

April 24, 1875. a24d10t

SMITH BROS.' IRON WORKS,
First Street, bet. Salmon and Main,
Manufacturers of
Machinery, Iron & Brass Castings, Forgings and Patterns.

ON HAND FOR SALE.
1 ENGINE 8x16 inch Cylinder, nearly new.
1 do 6x12 " in good order.
1 do 10x24 "
1 PORTABLE ENGINE and BOILER with Drum and Gearing for Pile-driving.
1 Steam ROCK DRILL, in good order.
New and second-hand Wood Planers, Boilers and Flickering Engine Regulators. a14d&w

Pioneer Brass & Iron Works.
ZIMMERMAN & FRAZER,
First Street, between Taylor and Salmon.
Machinery Repaired and Made to Order.
Babbitt and Anti-Friction Metals constantly on hand and made to order.
Blacksmithing, Gold and Silver Plating, Key-Fitting, &c.

PAPER HANGINGS
WILSON & FENIMORE,
MANUFACTURERS,
PHILADELPHIA, PA.
Samples Furnished.

Cascades Mountain Ice!

Taken out of the clearest and purest water, for
ONLY ONE CENT A POUND,

Which I will deliver from this date through the whole season to any part of the city. Please give me a call, each and every one.

Leave orders at Hacleny & Stemme's, corner of First and Taylor sts.; Pfunder's Drug Store, First and Ash sts.; and at P. Herning's, No. 27 Stark st., bet. First and Second; also with the driver on the wagon. I have plenty of Ice.

J. M. G. KALLICH.

SAN FRANCISCO.

N. W. SPAULDING
Saw-Smithing & Repairing
ESTABLISHMENT,
17 and 19 Fremont street between Front and Battery
SAN FRANCISCO.

N. W. SPAULDING'S PATENT FALSE TEETH inserted in circular saws.

REPAIRING, in all its branches, such as Gumming, Re-Toothing, Straightening, &c.

CIRCULAR SAWS of all sizes [illegible] Muley, Gang, Buck, Butcher, and Hand-saws of all kinds, together with a good assortment of Saw [illegible] bours at lowest market rates.

Cast-Steel faced PLANER KNIVES and MOULDING CUTTERS always on hand or made to order on short notice.

N. B.—Messrs. KNAPP, BURRELL & CO., Commission Merchants, Portland, Oregon, are my duly authorized Agents for Oregon, Washington and Idaho.

Orders sent through them by telegraph or otherwise will be filled at same rates as if sent to me direct.

MEDICAL.

TO THE UNFORTUNATE

NEW REMEDIES! NEW REMEDIES!

Dr. Gibbon's Dispensary,

623 KEARNEY [illegible] San Francisco. Established 1854, for the treatment of [illegible] and Seminal Diseases, [illegible] Gonorrhea [illegible] Syphilis in all its forms, [illegible] Weakness, Impotency, etc. [illegible] Diseases (of years standing) and Ulcerated Legs successfully treated.

DR. GIBBON has the pleasure of announcing he has returned from visiting the principal [illegible] tals of Europe, and has resumed practice at his Dispensary, 623 Kearney street, corner of C[illegible] San Francisco, where his old patients and [illegible] quiring his services may find him.

The Doctor has spared neither time nor [illegible] seeking out new remedies, and has [illegible] increased facilities for the alleviation of suffering.

Horrible Diseases.

How many thousands of persons, both male and female, are there who are suffering out a [illegible] existence from the effects of secret indulgence, from virus absorbed into the system. Look at the pallid, emaciated and distorted faces and the broken-down constitutions disqualifying them for the happiness of marriage or the enjoyment of life. In this horrid situation thousands suffer until death closes the scene. Let parents, guardians, attend to those who are suffering with any of these horrible, life-destroying maladies, and see that they are cared for and cured before it is too late. Apply immediately to DR. GIBBON, a physician who has made private diseases his especial study [illegible] and who is certain to cure [illegible] without mercury or any [illegible] drugs. [illegible] portant to those, who are [illegible] are interested in the welfare of their friends, to be careful of the many pretended doctors who [illegible] all cities, publishing their [illegible] all in a few days, imposing upon the public by the names of eminent physicians from [illegible] other places. Be therefore careful, and make inquiry, or you may fall into the hands of charlatans.

[illegible] Seminal Weakness.

Seminal Emissions, the consequence of This solitary vice, or [illegible] practiced by the youth [illegible] unlimited extent, produce [illegible] ty, the following train of [illegible] combated by scientific [illegible] low countenance, dark spots [illegible] the head, ringing in the [illegible] of leaves and rattling of [illegible] the loins, weakness of [illegible] blunted intellect, lo[illegible] approaching strang[illegible] quintances, disposi[illegible] memory, hectic flus[illegible] tions about the [illegible] coughs, consumption [illegible] frequent insanit[illegible] apply immediat[illegible] have a cure effe[illegible] of treating this [illegible] ing a quick and [illegible] Hundred Dollar[illegible] isfactorily to him [illegible] plaint by either [illegible]

Married Men,

Or those who contemplate marriage, who [illegible] ing under any of these [illegible] forget the sacred [illegible] nor delay to obtain [illegible] relief.

DR. GIBBON [illegible] and will [illegible] patient a written [illegible] binding [illegible] fect a radical and permanent cure, or [illegible] charge.

Caution to the Unf[illegible]

Beware of the San Francisco quacks and pretenders who, with [illegible] the unwary. Some [illegible] self styled [illegible] names are to be found in the daily and [illegible] newspapers of San Francisco and other [illegible] tradesmen and become too lazy to work at their trades. Some are [illegible] carriers, intelligence office [illegible] way to avoid impos[illegible] cost you nothing, [illegible] for, as advertising [illegible] ten are bogus, [illegible] them until you know who and what they are. Dr. Gibbon does not [illegible] tities, certificates, [illegible] Dr. Gibbon will satisfy [illegible] office of his ability to treat diseases that he [illegible] to cure.

Cured at Home.

Persons at a distance may be CURED AT HOME by addressing a letter to [illegible] symptoms, length of time the disease [illegible] and have medicines promptly forwarded, free from damage and curiosity, to any part of the [illegible] with full and plain directions. By [illegible] Dollars coin, in registered letter through the Post-office or through Wells, Fargo & Co., a package of medicine will be forwarded to any part of the Union. All communications strictly confidential.

Address DR. J. F. GIBBON 623 Kearney street, corner Commercial, San Francisco, Post-office Box [illegible]

REMEMBER TO PUT BOX [illegible] ON THE LETTER. Consultations FREE.

Correspondents will please inform DR. GIBBON that they read his advertisement in the Daily Oregonian.

A BOOK FOR THE MILLION!

MARRIAGE GUIDE.

[illegible] the latest discoveries in the science [illegible] the complexion, &c. This is a [illegible] for those who are married or contemplate marriage [illegible] book that ought to be under lock and key [illegible] about the house. Sent to any one [illegible] Address Dr. Butts' Dispensary [illegible]

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon.—In the matter of Henry C. Morrice, bankrupt. [illegible] —At Portland, the 16th day of April, A. D. [illegible] undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Henry C. Morrice of [illegible] in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon petition of his creditors [illegible] Court of said District. BET[illegible] ap17d1aw3w

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon [illegible] signee of his appointment. [illegible] At the city of Portland, the 3d day of May A. D. 1875, the undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of [illegible] Baum, of Scio, in the county of [illegible] Oregon, within said District, [illegible] judged Bankrupts upon their [illegible] District Court of said District.

JOSEPH [illegible]

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NOTICE.

MR. E. MILWAIN HAS MADE AN ASSIGNment to me of all of his [illegible] personal, for the benefit of his [illegible] accounts and demands due and [illegible] be settled and paid without delay.

Mr. Lloyd Brooke is my duly authorized [illegible] settle and receipt for the same.

[illegible] Assignee of [illegible]

Portland, Or., April 26, 1875.

Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express.

HAVING ESTABLISHED OFFICES IN ALL parts of Oregon, Washington and Idaho Territories, we are prepared to do a General Express and Freighting business in all its branches.

Freight or Packages will be called for in any part of the city (by giving proper notice) and forwarded with dispatch to any part of the [illegible] own and connecting Expresses, at [illegible] rates.

COLLECTIONS MADE, and Commissions for Purchase of Goods, etc., etc., will receive prompt attention.

We shall continue to DRAW EXCHANGE as usual on all the principal cities of the United States, Canadas and Europe, and to sell [illegible] EXCHANGE when desired.

WELLS, FARGO & CO.

PORTLAND CEMENT.

180 BBLS. "WHITE BROS." PORTLAND CEMENT, ex bark [illegible] just arrived from England. Also LIME and PLASTER.

For sale by
GEO. ABERNETHY,
ap17-1m 2d street, bet. Taylor and Salmon.

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PARTICULAR ATTENTION PAID TO GENTLEmen's Linen, Lace Curtains and Blankets. Washing called for and delivered [illegible] the city. Offices—Brown's Shoemaker shop, corner First and Morrison, Cosmopolitan Barber shop, St. Charles Hotel.

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A Well-Known Publisher Dead.

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